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EUROPE.

No Fighting Before Paris Since Tuesday.

Thiers, Confident of Victory, Awaits Reinforcements.

Insurgent Defenses Within the City of Paris.

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THE FEELING AT VERSAILLES.

M. Thiers Confident of a Bloodless Victory—Reception of the Paris Delegates at Versailles—The Terms of Reconciliation—M. Gambetta Secretary the Government.

VERSAILLES, April 13.—M. Thiers in a circular bearing date of the evening of the 12th describes the situation as in the main unchanged and says: "The Government will act with promptitude. The Communes accounts of a victory at Paris are as false as they are unprincipled. Our victory will come bloodlessly. The Paris delegates have arrived and were received, not because they are Communists, but because they are Republicans. My answer to them was that "No one menaces the Republic but assassins. The lives of the insurgents will be spared, but the workmen, temporarily subdulled in Paris, must return to their labor, and secession be suppressed, as it has been in America."

The delegates from the party of conciliation have returned to Paris. The conditions of peace proposed to them by President Thiers are, that Paris shall first lay down her arms, and then the municipal franchise will be granted to the city.

BERNON, April 13.—A letter from M. Gambetta, on the state of affairs in France, is published today. The veteran statesman deprecates the action of the Assembly, trusts that the struggle will be short, and expresses confidence that the result is both certain and decisive.

OPERATIONS ABOUT PARIS.

Losses of the Government Forces—Three Thousand Gardes-mobiles Surrounded by Communist Insurgents—Accounts of Their Own Successes—Brisk Cannonade Continued.

LONDON, April 13.—The *Times* special dispatch from Paris says that the portion of the Versailles Army engaged in the attack upon the outlying forts to the south of Paris has suffered greatly in both killed and wounded.

The Communists have surrounded 3,000 gardes-mobiles near Antieres, and their capitulation is thought probable.

The special of the *Telegraph*, from Paris, says that Gen. DOMBROWSKI telegraphs to the Communal Committee that his forces have occupied three-fourths of the town of Neuilly. He is also said to have selected Asnieres as the centre of operations against Courbevoie. Longchamps and Asnieres are both well fortified. He is very popular with his troops. He declares he will burn Neuilly, Villers and Puteaux, if such a step should be necessary for the defense of Paris.

PARIS, April 13.—Gen. DOMBROWSKI reports to the Communal Committee that the troops under his command are doing excellent service; that they already hold three-fourths of the town of Neuilly and hope to have possession of the bridge across the Seine to-night. The *Cri de Peuple* says the Versailles troops have been driven from Neuilly and are flying toward Courbevoie. The attack made yesterday by the Versailles forces was a failure.

The Orleans Railway has been cut by the Versailles troops.

The bombardment of the Maillot gate continues. There was a heavy but intermittent cannonade during the whole of last night, which has grown more violent this morning. Fort Mont Valerien is firing heavily.

An Insurgent Advance on Clamart—Momentum of the Commune on the Right—Thiers Waiting for Reinforcements—No Fighting Since Tuesday.

LONDON, April 12.—The *Times* special dispatch from Versailles says a column of insurgents has advanced to Clamart without meeting with opposition. The members of the Commune are personally on the field, to encourage their wearied troops.

A dispatch from Versailles says there is a great concentration of troops before that city.

Marshal MCMAHON has gone to Villiers-tang, (Villeneuve l'Etang,) and a decisive attack upon the insurgent position is expected.

A Versailles correspondent says: "M. Thiers is opposed to the bringing on of a decisive action until 50,000 additional men shall have reinforced the Versailles Army."

VERSAILLES, April 13.—No engagement took place on Tuesday, and on Wednesday there was merely an insurgent fusillade, followed by cannonading. There has been no engagement this morning. All the roads leading to Paris are occupied by Versailles troops.

LONDON, April 13.—A dispatch from Paris says a battery of big guns has been mounted in the Avenue du Trocadéro, pointing toward Fort du Mont Valerien. The Nationals are massed near the Arch of Triumph. Paris is calm, but the exodus of the inhabitants continues. The British Consul at Paris has warned all Englishmen to leave the city.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

German Representatives at the Peace Conference—Unauthorized Captures by French Cruisers to be Restored—The German Credit.

BRUSSELS, April 13.—The German financial delegates who are to assist in the Peace Conference here arrived today.

HAMBURG, April 13.—It is reported that France has undertaken to restore to their owners all German ships taken by French cruisers and not condemned as prize of war.

BERLIN, April 13.—The amount of the credit to be asked of the German Parliament is 120,000,000 thalers....Gen. HERWARTH VON BITTERFELD has been promoted to the rank of Field Marshal.

EUROPEAN MAIL NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF THE CUNARD STEAM-SHIP CUBA.

The Cunard steam-ship Cuba, which left Liverpool April 1, and Queenstown April 2, reached this Port yesterday, with mails later by two days than those previously at hand.

AFFAIRS IN ENGLAND.

The University Boat-Race—"Critical Tension"—The Terms of Peace—Doings at Court—A Mixed Company—Court Dress of the Day—Opening of the New Albert Hall—History of the Place.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Saturday, April 1, 1871.

This is the boat-race day. All the week we have been working ourselves up into an excitement on the subject, grown folk holding off from it and vainly trying to resist the contagion of enthusiasm, younger folk plunging into it with reckless vehemence, but all being more or less caught up in the whirl and drifted in mind, if not in body, to the river-side at Putney. Cambridge having been beaten for so many years in succession till last year, it seemed natural that the Oxford men would again assert their prowess, under the sting of an exceptional defeat, and at first it was supposed that the victory would be theirs. But when the boats came to the river, public opinion was about unanimous in favor of the Cantabs, and the result has proved the judgment. Even the friends of Oxford hoped against hope, and with a strong presentiment of defeat; this is how one of them accounts for the failure of the crew.

"Practice was all on the side of Cambridge; five victorious veterans in the boat—three second-year-men and a first-year-old seven; among the recruits a Diamond sculls winner, and all of them the personification of uniformity; so it is little wonder the public favored them. Oxford were led by a stroke in his first season at Putney, backed by almost a schoolboy seven, two other untried men behind him, and two others who had only been used to a victory at Putney. They had been chopping and changing in their boat during practice—fires, in a new Salter, built for the occasion; then condemning her, and pressing in a borrowed college boat; then back again to the condemned craft as a makeshift, and at last in a second new boat, built night and day, after the condemnation of the first."

The Cambridge men went ahead from the first, the bad starting of the Oxford coxswain increased their advantage, and they would have won by several lengths but for the heroic and desperate spurting of LESLEY, the Oxford stroke, who reduced the distance to less than a single length. The result of the race was known in Bombay within twelve minutes of the finish.

POLITICAL TOPICS.

The political news of the week (English politics, I mean, without reference to the events now happening on the other side of the Channel which mainly engross our attention) is small. On Thursday Sir CHARLES DILKE brought on his motion condemning the Government for going into the Conference, but it went off like a damp squib, with a poor spluttering fizz and no bang of the tail. If Sir CHARLES had been wise he would have seen that there was nothing to be got out of a resolution or by the Government from which Mr. DISRAELI studiously held aloof. But then he is not wise. For the public here the subject had passed quite out of date. Besides, this is a practical people, and it likes to know what is the good of doing this or that. What could be the good of raking up this business of the Conference, after everything had been settled and the result was beyond revision or reversal? The only good was that Sir CHARLES would have a chance of airing his eloquence. He is a young Liberal of the advanced school, and one of the three who voted against the Princess LOUISE's dowry, and has evidently resolved to make himself conspicuous in opposition. A young man of undoubted energy and ability, with a good habit of going to the spot to get his facts—he has been to the States, to Australia, to Russia, and all over Europe, has seen much and has much to tell—he might easily make a first-rate position for himself, if he would only set about it the right way and take time. But he is in too violent a hurry, and his self-complacency is too obtrusive. With his standing in the House, he should be content to follow; and the only result of his attempting to lead has been to get left humiliatingly in the lurch. The Ministers treated the resolutions with marked contempt, leaving it to an Under Secretary to speak for them in the portent, and most off-hand way. Mr. DISRAELI and the other heads of the opposition, with the exception of impulsive Lord JOHN MANNERS, were equally reserved; and poor Sir CHARLES found nobody of any consequence either to support his resolution or to take the trouble to argue against it. He had nothing for it but to put his tail between his legs and bolt, followed by the cutting taunts of Mr. BERNAL OSBORNE, who pointed him out as a warning to ambitious young members, and called his performance a sham. It was a defeat for DILKE. But it is not so sure that it was a triumph for the Government. If there was no disposition to pass a formal vote of censure on them, there was equally little disposition to land their diplomacy, the general impression being that the subject was embarrassing enough about which the least said was best.

THE THRONE OF PEACE.

Next night Mr. BAILLIE COCHRANE, a very weak-limbed descendant of WALLACE, the good Scotch hero, set to work to flog another dead horse—namely, the terms of peace which he thinks is the duty of England to revise in the interest of France. Mr. GLADSTONE himself replied, the gist of his speech being that it was not worth while writing dispatches which would serve no purpose but to keep BISMARCK in pipe lights; that England did all it could before the peace was settled.

DOINGS AT COURT.

Upon the warmth and brightness of last week has followed bleak, dull weather, with cutting winds, and the leaves and blossoms have been tempted out before their time, only to be nipped by the sudden cold. We have had grand doings, nevertheless, both at Court and in public. The Queen came up from Windsor, (with the newly-married Princess LOUISE and Marquis of LORNE in her train,) on Tuesday morning, held a drawing-room the same afternoon, and next day opened the Albert Hall in state. I suppose it is understood what a drawing-room is. In the old days it really had a kind of social character. The nobles and other persons of distinction gathered in the Sovereign's drawing-room, and had at least a chance of a few words with him. The number of people having pretensions to be presented at Court was then comparatively limited. The journey to town was too costly and too tedious for the country gentleman to come up often, and even if all had some who had a claim for admission to the palace, they would have made but a small party. Society is a much bigger word now than it used to be. Whole classes of people have thrust themselves into notice who used to be lost in the crowd, and quite undistinguishable from the rest of it. Parliamentary Government has broken down the selectness of the Court. The Lord Chamberlain is obliged to consult the interests of the Ministry, and steady supporters have to be conciliated by presentations for themselves and their friends, and this, in turn, leads to a continual stretching of the line, so that at last it has come to be hardly a barrier to any one, not of notorious bad character, who has set his or her heart on crossing it.

A MIXED COMPANY.

A few years since one of the Judges at a levee, (the levees are receptions for gentlemen, the drawing room for ladies,) was struck by a face he encountered there, was certain he had seen it somewhere before, and at last recollected that it was in the dock at the Old Bailey, where he had passed sentence of penal servitude on the gentleman who owned the too suggestive countenance. The fellow was, in fact, a released convict or ticket-of-leave man. I do not mean to say that this happens often; but it is quite certain that very queer people sometimes gain access to the royal presence on these occasions, and that even when their queerness, (if not too outrageous,) is known, there is no choice the doors upon them on account of the political consequence of exciting their resentment.

COURT DRESS OF THE DAY.

Of late a concession on the score of costume has been made in favor of the gentlemen; they can go to Court now without putting on silk stockings and knee-breeches. All they have to do is to turn up the collar of their coats and put a little silver braid round it, and another band of silver down the seams of their best black trowsers, and then they are in full dress for Court. But for the ladies, full dress still means the undress of evening; and it is impossible to conceive anything more melancholy than the long string of carriages in St. James' Park, on a drawing-room day in Spring, filled with half-naked women, with pallid waxen cheeks and red noses, half awake from last night's ball, shivering in the bleak wind and waiting the slow advance of the procession, amid the cynical scrutiny and brutal jeers of the street lads: "Oh, my, here's a fat 'un," cries one; "Lor', Jack, "ain't she a bag o' bones," exclaims another, as the fine ladies are passed in review. A struggle in the over-crowded waiting-room of the Palace, a hurried scuttle, with precipitate obeisance before the Queen, and then exit—such is the day's enjoyment. The romance of such a performance is a good measure of the intensity of the loyalty which is involved. Often the poor Queen gets giddy with the incessant rush of people past her and has to retire, one of the Princesses being substituted for the ladies to bow to. Under such circumstances anything like social intercourse between the Queen and her subjects is, of course, impossible.

THE NEW ALBERT HALL.

As a mere spectacle the opening of the Albert Hall was really a very brilliant and imposing affair. Fancy a vast circular building, after the fashion of the Roman Colisseum, (only, of course, closed to the sky,) with tier above tier of boxes round the sides, filled with men in uniform and ladies in gay Spring robes; a large arena, elaborately packed, and a great orchestra, with some six thousand performers, instrumental and vocal, there being altogether about eight or nine thousand persons present. At one end a dais of red cloth was erected for the Queen and royal family. The mass of people, the variegated dresses, the fluttering handkerchiefs, the great strains of music, and the contagious enthusiasm which always attends a crowd, combined to render the ceremony very bright and inspiriting. In itself, the ceremony was simple enough—an address to the Queen read by the Prince of WALES, a few barely-heard words from the Queen as she handed a written reply to her son, a prayer from one of the Bishops, in which, addressing the Deity, he published an explanatory advertisement of the new institution for the benefit of the public, (a kind of enticing off heaven, to which the clergy, I'm afraid, are rather prone,) and some stupendous harmony from the vast band and chorus. Nothing could be better than the opening; but *après?* That is the question. After all, one hears it said, this great place cannot have been built merely to be opened, and what ordinary use is it fit for? Even with the great orchestra of Wednesday, the music in some passages sounded faint and low; the women's voices pierced the space very well, but the male voices were rather muffled in the solos, and of course the speeches were not heard at all except within a narrow neighborhood. For chamber music, therefore, the Albert Hall is out of the question, and still more so for lectures. For choral singing on a grand scale, it will do very well, but it may be doubted whether performances of that nature can often be got up or will prove permanently attractive. Some concerts of this kind have been arranged and will shortly be given, but I doubt whether they can be kept up. Of course the immense size of the place and the cost of using it, render a moderate success only a degree less ruinous than an utter failure to draw a house. Only a very large audience will pay, and what would pass for a respectable number of people in an ordinary hall will here have the effect of making the emptiness more visible.

HISTORY OF THE PLACE.

The history of the Albert Hall is this. After the Great Exhibition of 1851, the late Prince Consort took a peculiar fancy to the part of the town where it had stood. In his dreamy German way, over his pipe and lager-beer, he pictured it a kind of gracious Arcadia of art, an academical suburb, in which picture galleries, museums of antiquities and natural history, and botanical gardens should be gathered together, and then descending from heaven to earth, he calculated that when endowed with all this dowry the spot would let well in building leases. He invested accordingly, but did not live to see the fruition of his scheme. The Queen took it up as a religious duty, and every kind of influence has been brought to bear upon Parliament and the Ministers to secure transfer of various museums to this quarter of the town, and liberal votes of public money for the erection of buildings. Part of the Prince's project was a grand hall of science and art, and when a national memorial was proposed in his honor in 1862, a hall was included in the design. The public subscriptions, however, fell very short of the sum required; the House of Commons added fifty thousand pounds, but would give no more, and so, of the original estimate of the cost, (nearly half a million, it is said is all) of the gilded sugar-cake temple which now constitutes the memorial, was paid by the Queen herself. But she was determined that the idea of a hall should not be abandoned, so a company was started, subscriptions were everywhere canvassed for, and it came to be understood that speculative persons and shoddy folk that the one quick and true road to royal favor and such good things as went with it, was by paying down £1,000 for a box at the Hall of Science and Art, or, better still, £2,000 for a couple of boxes. Thus, the hall has been built. To what use it can be put, or how it can be made to pay its way, are questions of the future. F. J. H.

LIFE OF JENNY LIND.

Expensive Reproduction of a Personal Issue—Libels on Miss Lind's Husband.

From the London Echo, March 31.

At the Kingston Assizes, yesterday, the case of GOLDSCHMIDT *vs.* WYMAN was tried. This was an action for libel brought by Mr. OTTO GOLDSCHMIDT, the husband of the celebrated cantatrice JENNY LIND, against the defendant, the printer and publisher of a weekly newspaper called *Public Opinion*.

The following is the paragraph constituting the libel:

"JENNY LIND.—We take the following paragraph from *Woodhull & Claflin's Weekly* of the 7th inst., published in New-York: 'JENNY LIND's husband has at length run through the splendid fortune with which she retired from the lyric stage, and she is compelled to teach music for a living. The ill-matched pair have separated by mutual consent, and the spendthrift must now shift for himself.'"

The Solicitor-General, in opening the case, said that nineteen or twenty years ago Mr. GOLDSCHMIDT married his present wife. It was a marriage of affection, and they had lived together ever since, united in bonds of the fearliest affection. The fortune which Mme. GOLDSCHMIDT possessed was settled upon her at the time of the marriage, and since then it has been largely increased, and the whole had been practically under her control. They had lived in a moderate and prudent manner, and if there had been any excessive expenditure at all it had been entirely in connection with those munificent and splendid acts of charity and generosity with which the name of Mme. GOLDSCHMIDT would always be indissolubly associated.

Mme. LIND-GOLDSCHMIDT said she was a native of Sweden. In 1852 she married Mr. OTTO GOLDSCHMIDT, who had assisted her at concerts in America. For several years they lived at Dresden, and in 1858 they came to reside permanently in England. Since 1862 they had lived at Wimbledon. They had always resided together, and had three children. Prior to her marriage she was possessed of some fortune, which was legally settled upon her. Her husband had most judiciously assisted in the management of her property. She always had a clear knowledge of everything connected with it. Her fortune remained intact and unspent, and since the marriage they had earned a considerable sum of money. That still remained unspent, and was under the care of her former guardian. She had the most perfect freedom in regard to her property, and Mr. GOLDSCHMIDT had lived in a simple and inexpensive manner. His amusements and occupations had never been separated from those of the family. There had never been any pretense for saying that she and her husband were ill-matched, and they had never been separated, except when she had been away for her health. They had been continually persecuted since their marriage, and Mr. GOLDSCHMIDT had been treated almost as though he were a scoundrel. They had been on intimate terms with persons of the highest position, many of them were in Court.

Mr. OTTO GOLDSCHMIDT gave corroborative testimony. He had never been addicted to gambling. He had never been near a gambling-table or billiard-table, nor had he ever had time for such pursuits. He had no extravagant habits. Every year a proportion of the income was set apart for Mme. GOLDSCHMIDT, and two years ago the whole of that amount had been vested for her in the names of trustees. Mme. GOLDSCHMIDT possessed at the present moment more than double the amount of property she had at the time of marriying.

The Earl of LEVEN had for four or five years intimately known Mr. and Mme. GOLDSCHMIDT. He had never had the slightest reason to doubt that they lived together on the best possible terms. He did not know any one who took more care of his property than did the plaintiff.

Mr. DU CANE, solicitor, spoke in the highest terms of the attention paid by the plaintiff to the interests of his wife.

Mr. Sergeant BALLANTINE expressed his entire concurrence with the high terms in which both Mr. and Mme. GOLDSCHMIDT had been spoken of, and added that fully that an indefensible attack had been made upon them. He urged that the paragraph in question had been copied from an American paper at a very busy time, and had been inserted by the inadvertency of a gentleman in whom the proprietors of the paper had always placed the utmost confidence. On the matter being brought under their notice they took the earliest opportunity of inserting a full and ample apology. They came into Court without any intention to resist the verdict of the jury, and had instructed him to admit fully that the attack was a false and a foul one; but he urged at the same time and ask the jury to consider that their journal had, up to the time, been conducted in a most respectable manner, and that, when the error was pointed out, they did their utmost to remedy it, and would have consented to any course being taken with that view.

Mr. WYMAN having been examined,

Mr. Serjeant BALLANTINE urged that the proprietors of the journal had done all that was in their power as honorable men to do, and that no great damage was shown to have been occasioned by this paragraph.

The Solicitor-General replied, and asked the jury to give a verdict for sufficient though not excessive damages.

The Lord Chief Justice, in summing up, said that the libel was a most scandalous and abominable one, for which there was not the shadow of a foundation. In a civil action the jury must remember that the extent of malice was the amount of mischief caused by publication.

The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff; damages, $250.

In another action, GOLDSCHMIDT *vs.* SPOTTISWOODE, the well-known printer, for the publication of a libel of a similar character in the *American Register*, the jury gave a verdict of £100; and in a third case, against a Mr. STIFF, a verdict of £100 was taken by consent.

FRANCE

Sketches of the Scenes in Paris.

From the London Times, March 2.

The *Liberté* states that there are nightly skirmishes in the neighborhood of St. Cloud, between the National Guards serving under the Central Committee and the troops of the line under Gen. DUCROT. On Tuesday the affair became so serious that Gen. DUCROT deemed it necessary to break up the bridge of boats on the Seine, between Sèvres and Billancourt. All the attempts of the insurgents against Mont Valérien have hitherto been unsuccessful. The same paper says that the chief of the detective Police of London is now in Paris, having been informed that there are at present about 4,000 English thieves in that city. Several trains loaded with goods from Havre for Paris, have returned to the former place in consequence of inability to discharge their freight at Batignolles station. The revolution has introduced confusion into the ranks of that useful body of men, the pompiers or firemen of Paris, a wholesale disbandment being insisted upon by some, and the resignation of the officers by the whole corps being demanded by others. In the meantime many of the men have deserted. The following is a statement of the "reforms" which the Communists of the Fourteenth Arrondissement deem to be urgent, and which have been posted on the walls in the districts: "Programme of the electoral meetings of the Fourteenth Arrondissement, imposed upon the three candidates named in the subjoined decree: 1. Acceptance by all those whom it elects of an imperative mandate. 2. The immediate election of four municipal delegates for the public security, to replace the Commissaries of Police, those functionaries no longer having any agents under their orders. 3. Immediate suppression of the charitable institution, (Bureau de Bienfaisance,) to be replaced partly by family committees of the National Guard and partly by a civil commission. 4. Abolition of prostitution in all forms. 5. Immediate substitution of free schools, giving exclusively secular and national instruction, in place of religious congregations. 6. Abolition of the antique and complicated employment offices (Bureaux de Placement), and the substitution of offices placed at the disposition of the corporations of workmen, and an office established at the Mairie. 7. The election of a jury to decide causes with defined powers. Moreover, the candidates have undertaken to urge in the Communal Council of the City of Paris the following reforms: 1. The suppression of the budget for religious worship and the return to the State of the property which has been unduly detained by the clergy. 2. Are civil and commercial law proceedings to be gratuitous? 3. Suppression of the right of seizure in execution of household goods. 4. One sole tax—a progressive tax upon property. 5. Abolition of all monopolies, privileges and immunities. 6. All civil offices to be subject to competition and absolute responsibility of all functionaries. 7. Gratuitous and compulsory education for all classes and both sexes. 8. The right of association. 9. Immediate suppression of standing armies." According to the *Patrie* the system of requisitions commenced by the Central Committee is continued by the Commune, and has extended to the suburbs. On Tuesday the bakers at Boulogne were required by a body of the National Guards to deliver a large quantity of bread, for which they received in exchange bonds signed by some unknown person. The *Figaro*, which has reappeared, announces that it will resume its publication, but will for the present abstain from publishing any political articles. It mentions, however, as one of the consequences of the present state of affairs, that since the 18th of March 150,000 Parisians have quitted the capital, and the 200,000 foreigners who were expected to rush with eagerness to inspect the beautiful city have not appeared. The loss to the remaining inhabitants is calculated to be something like 200,000,000f. The same paper asserts that the 500,000,000 which it was stipulated should be paid to the Prussians on the 21st of March in consideration of the evacuation of the northern forts have been raised and are in the possession of the Government at Versailles. The *National* states that the Ecole Polytechnique is almost deserted, the pupils having been sent to their homes. At the Champ de Mars there is a park of artillery, consisting of 100 cannon, mortars and mitrailleuses, together with about 40 ammunition carts and caissons, and forges and other requisites for a campaign. These are guarded night and day by four sentries belonging to battalions faithful to the Central Committee. Some guns and wagons are also placed in the court-yard of the cavalry division of the Ecole Militaire.

DEATH RECORD.

M. Samson, Comedian—Mr. Reddie, Founder of the Victoria Institute.

M. SAMSON, the old and eminent actor, the senior member of the Theatre Francaise, died on March 30, at an advanced age. He was one of the most classic representatives of the leading characters of CORNEILLE, RACINE and MOLIERE. ....The death is announced of Mr. J. REDDIE, of the Admiralty. He was the founder of the English Victoria Institute, which decided to postpone its next meeting from the 3d to the 10th April, in consequence of the sad event.

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

THE COAL QUESTION.

The Miners Arrival Delegation to Call on the Coal Companies—The Latter Still Firm in Their Decision—Proposed Compromise Offered.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SCRANTON, Penn., April 13.—A meeting was held in the private office of the Delaware and Western Company this afternoon, composed of the representatives of that Company, and delegates from the Hyde Park branch of the Miner's Union. One portion of the Committee were authorized to go into council with the Delaware and Western Company, another with the Pennsylvania Coal, and still another with the Delaware and Hudson Company. The delegates who were instructed to call on the Delaware and Western Company did so, informing the representatives of that corporation that they came to stand by the November price—$1 25 per diamond car. They were informed that this offer would not be entertained. Considerable discussion took place, after which the miners offered to resume at $1 25. Mr. BEDDIN, on behalf of the Company, said that he would submit this to the Board of Directors of his Company, when one of the Committee of Miners inadvertently remarked that $1 20 might be accepted by them, but he was immediately broken off from further comment, and at 5 o'clock the meeting adjourned, the representatives of the Company immediately taking a special train for New-York, promising, in the meantime, to return on Friday or Saturday with the *ultimatum* of the Directors. Those best posted in mining matters do not think that any settlement with the large companies will be brought about, though it is reported that several collieries belonging to individual operators in Plymouth resumed work today at prices satisfactory to both parties. The Lackawanna Iron and Coal Company, forced by the mob on Saturday last to suspend mining operations, will "slow out" their furnaces to-morrow. This will throw a large number of men out of employment.

WEST INDIES.

Manipulation of the New-York Mail by the Cuban Government—The Bishop of Havana.

HAVANA, April 13.—On the arrival of the steamer *Missouri* yesterday from New-York, the Government took charge of the mail, and every letter contained in it was registered. After this operation, which occupied several hours, the mails were distributed.

The Bishop of Havana, who was a passenger on the *Missouri*, still remains on board the steamer, the Government refusing him permission to land. The Bishop is allowed to go where ever he chooses outside of Cuba. The public applaud the determination of the authorities.

Government Affairs in Porto Rico.

HAVANA, April 13.—Advices to the 2d inst. have been received from Porto Rico. Gen. BALLESCH has again assumed the Captain-Generalship. ROMERO, his newly-appointed Secretary, will not take possession of his office for the present. The list of Deputies to the Cortes, soon to be voted for, has been published. The Conservative Party is making strenuous efforts to organize for an efficient campaign.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

The Fair-Crittenden Murder Trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—The evidence in the Fair-Crittenden murder trial was closed this noon, having occupied over fifteen days. SNYDER, one of the prisoner's late husbands, testified certain facts regarding the manner of their marriage and divorce. She, on the other hand, swore that he came to her cell since the murder and offered to swear so as to clear her for $6,000, which she refused to give. Her counsel, COOK, corroborated this. The arguments will commence to-morrow.

THE EAST.

The French Fair in Boston—The Boston and Erie Railroad.

BOSTON, Mass., April 13.—Rev. JOSEPH ANCIEL, a Unitarian clergyman, of Milton, died yesterday, aged sixty-two years.....The receipts of the French Fair yesterday were $14,000, showing a total up to this morning of about $20,000.....In the Massachusetts Senate today a resolution was adopted directing the Attorney-General to commence proceedings for the enforcement of the bond given by JOHN S. ELDRIDGE, MARK HEALY, HENRY N. FARWELL, J. W. CONVERSE and JAMES S. WHITNEY to the Commonwealth for $2,000,000, on the 11th of March, 1869, in relation to the Boston, Hartford and Erie Railroad.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis of the Government Observations.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 13—7½ P. M.—The area of low pressure has moved eastward into the Eastern States and New-York. The pressure has steadily diminished over the country east of the Rocky Mountains, and is now very low in Iowa and in the Lower Mississippi Valley, with very general cloudiness. Westerly winds have prevailed on the Lakes, but easterly winds are now reported in the Mississippi Valley.

PROBABILITIES.

It is probable that cloudy weather will on Friday very generally prevail, with light rains as a few points in the South and South-west; easterly winds on Lake Michigan, and northeasterly on Lake Superior.

Observations at Mount Washington.

SUMMIT OF MOUNT WASHINGTON, N. H., April 13.—Observations made at 7 o'clock P. M.: Barometer, 29.67; change plus, 0.19; thermometer, 25°; change minus, 4°; relative humidity, 0.86. Wind, west; velocity, nine miles per hour. The wind blew fiercely last night. The dense clouds that have enveloped the summit since Sunday, have given us beautiful frost-work again. At 5 o'clock P. M. we could see through rifts in the clouds, and the snowy summits were in a striking contrast with the deep purple shadows of the mountains.

The New-York Central Railroad in Trouble.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 13.—The Sheriff of this county received this morning from Buffalo, fifty-four executions against the New-York Central Railroad Company, amounting in the aggregate to $20,000. He levied at once upon locomotives, &c., which he will hold till further orders.

A Woman Arrested for Mail Robbing.

CORTLAND, N. Y., April 13.—Mr. MCDONALD, a special agent of the Post-Office Department, arrested this morning, Miss MORRY, who is employed in the Post-Office at McGrawville, for robbing mongyed letters addressed to JAS. VIO, of Rochester. She was committed for examination.

The Mississippi Valley Scheme—Organization of the Southern Pacific Railroad.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 13.—The big swindle called the Mississippi Valley Navigation Company comes up to-morrow in the Mississippi Legislature. The bill asks the State for 400,000 acres of land, and it proposes to run low-pressure steamers on the Mississippi, but gives no guarantee if it so fails. It is one of the most audacious schemes connected, none of the parties interested having any capital. The organization of the Southern Pacific Railroad, next week, excites great interest. The name of Col. SAM. TATE, President of the Memphis and Little Rock Railroad, is spoken of in connection with the Presidency, also that of Gov. ALCORN.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW-ZEALAND.

Rich Gold Productions—Discovery of Coal—Importation of Game Birds—Disasters at Sea—Weather News.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—The steam-ship *Ajax*, from Honolulu, brings advices from Sydney up to 28th February, and from Auckland to the 7th March.

The war steamer *Clio*, carrying the Governor of New-Zealand and a party of excursionists, struck a rock on Bligh Sound, and ran into Bounty Haven. The party reached Queenstown, overland, with much difficulty. The steamer will be repaired. Capt. GLADWIN WINGARD, the first Superintendent of Auckland, is dead. Hon. JULIUS VOGEL, Postmaster-General of New-Zealand, who was recently in New-York, has been elected to the New-Zealand Parliament from East Auckland. The Thames gold fields have produced extremely rich gold, and the share mania has again seized upon the community. The crushings for February yielded 20,929 ounces, and heavy parcels have been deposited in the bank. There were paid in dividends £81,000 in six days. The harvest in the South and Middle Islands has been abundant. In Waitaha the average yield was forty bushels per acre. Numerous beds of coal have been discovered in the North and Middle Islands, and railways and surveys are being actively pushed in both islands. Six hundred grouse and other English birds have arrived at Otago for acclimatization. The steam-ship *Arendale*, carrying southward the San Francisco and European mails, to the 18th January, was wrecked near Taranaki. The mail and passengers were saved. The schooner *Bunches* was wrecked on the coast of Otago, and all hands, except the Captain, lost. The steam-ship *Rangitoto*, having the Suez mail on board, foundered at Pistocures Feb. 27. The damage was slight. The bark *Farningham* was to leave Sydney on Feb. 15, for New-York, via Auckland. The schooner *Success* reports the following whalers lying: Norfolk Island: *Lorenzo*, with 400 barrels sperm oil, and 1,600 barrels whale; *Morning Light*, with 120 barrels sperm, since leaving the Bay of Islands; *Robert Towle*, with ten tons sperm and ten tons black; *Concord*, with nine tons sperm since Jan. 14; *Fanny Fisher*, empty. The following arrived at Kingston, Norfolk Island: *Lorenzo*, with 600 barrels sperm oil, and 1,600 barrels whale; *Morning Light*, with 120 barrels sperm, since leaving the Bay of Islands; *Robert Towle*, with ten tons sperm and ten tons black; *Concord*, with nine tons sperm since Jan. 14; *Fanny Fisher*, empty. The following arrived at Kingston, Norfolk Island: *Lorenzo*, with 600 barrels sperm oil, and 1,200 barrels whale; *Morning Light*, with 120 barrels sperm, since leaving the Bay of Islands; *Robert Towle*, with ten tons sperm and ten tons black; *Concord*, with nine tons sperm since Jan. 14; *Fanny Fisher*, empty. The following whalers lying: Norfolk Island: *Lorenzo*, with 600 barrels sperm oil, and 1,600

THE ERIE FIGHT.

Extraordinary Epidemic Among the Erie Officials.

Medical Recommendation to Avoid the Grand Opera-House—Summer Vacations in April—The Net Closes Round Fisk and Gould.

Yesterday morning the fight for the possession of sixty-thousand and fifty-four shares of Erie Railway stock, the property of HEATH and RAFFARE, the English shareholders, of which they claim they were robbed by FISK and GOULD, was resumed before KENNETH G. WHITE, Master in Equity. The incidents connected with the progress of the litigation in the United States Courts have pretty well convinced the general public that the policy of the Erie Railway Company was not one which seemed to seek justice, yet it was hardly prepared to anticipate the desperate attempts now made on its behalf to frustrate the attempt to obtain justice by obtaining a delay at all hazards. The orders of the Court are persisted in or misunderstood, the service of subpœnas on witnesses is sought to be avoided, and, lastly, the subterfuge has been resorted to of sending the principal witnesses away on the untenable plea of ill-health. The result of the investigation yesterday makes it clearly apparent that the net is closing round the present managers of the Erie Railway, and with this consciousness is evinced a determined purpose on their part to perpetuate their rule by ignoring the rights of all others.

At the commencement of the proceedings yesterday morning, Mr. SOUTHMAYD, on behalf of HEATH and RAFFARE, asked for the books containing inventories of the stock issued during last December and January, an order for the production of which was issued the previous day by the master.

Mr. MORGAN, who appeared for the Erie Railway Company, said he had not been able to produce them last evening, as the office of the Company had been closed before the issue of the order. He expressed his readiness to do everything to facilitate the progress of the investigation, but thought that the 600 books already in possession of the Court should be disposed of before any others could be produced.

Mr. SOUTHMAYD—We can't well go on without them.

The examination of Mr. MONTAGUE SMITH, the Assistant Secretary of the Erie Company, was then resumed:

Q.—In December and January last what officer of your Company signed the stock certificates which were issued? A.—I presume I signed all the stock certificates issued; the other signature attached to them was that of JAY GOULD and JAMES FISK, Jr.; I don't know that Mr. OTIS signed any of them.

Q.—Who made out or filled up the certificates? A.—The transfer clerk or his assistant.

Q.—Where is that assistant? A.—Mr. Jesse A. Hutton; his bureau is his assistant; they are usually in to assist in their office, but I don't think they could spared more today; I do not see them where you sit.

Q.—Do you see just one there? A.—I don't see anyone now.

Mr. MORGAN objected to this line of examination, but his objection was overruled.

Q.—Do you see any other clerks within a week or a fortnight? A.—I think I saw the assistant engaged in another of the offices, but I don't recollect to day; to the best of my knowledge, I have not seen other of them for a week or ten days; I have seen them at night; the others; I would not see the assistants if they came to my office.

Q.—Where is the room which the HILTONS occupy? A.—It is down near the Treasurer's office.

Q.—Where is Mr. HILTON? A.—I don't know; I have two subpœnas; I presume if I knew where I would give us to the room in which they might be found?

Mr. MORGAN objected, but was overruled.

Q.—Where did you get that letter? A.—I think it was left at my office.

Q.—Is Mr. OTIS, the Secretary, in attendance at the office today? A.—I have not seen him; I have not seen Mr. OTIS since Monday.

Q.—Was he there through last week? A.—Mr. OTIS has been sick and has been away a great deal.

Q.—When did he begin to be sick? A.—He has been sick for the last two days.

Mr. SOUTHMAYD—That's about the time the examination began before the Master. [Laughter.]

Q.—Did you see the duties of Mr. WILLIAM HARRIS in the Erie? A.—I don't know what he was employed by the Erie Company; he was employed by the Atlantic and Great Western Railway.

Q.—Did not Mr. HARRIS act in that department as clerk for the transfer and registration of stock? A.—No, Sir; he was employed at desk in the Treasurer's office near the transfer clerk.

Q.—Was there any desk devoted to this registration or connected with the registration of stock with the Fourth Avenue Bank Commission? A.—The transfer clerk attended to everything connected with this department.

Q.—Did not Mr. HARRIS attend to facilitate the examination stock which was left there as a preliminary step to getting it ready for the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company? A.—I don't know; it is not connected in any way with that department; I don't know that he acted in that capacity in this department; I know as a matter of fact that there was been a registration of stock with the Fourth Avenue Commission and with the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company; the transfer clerk.

Q.—Did you know that in order to have certificates registered there it was necessary they should be first identified or checked at your office? A.—I did not know that; I know that all I know is that the stock that passed through the office of the transfer clerk, to my knowledge, Mr. HARRIS had nothing to do with that department; the stock which passed through the hands of the transfer clerk; to my knowledge, Mr. HARRIS had nothing to do with that department; the stock certificates; he was accustomed to come to the office daily and spend his time there like every other clerk.

Q.—Where is he now? A.—He told me he was going to Europe; I don't know whether he has gone or not.

Q.—Do you know that a subpœna was issued for Mr. HARRIS? A.—I know that two were subpœnaed, and that he could not be found? A.—I never saw a person where was Mr. HARRIS, and I said he had sailed for Europe, for at our last interview he bade me good-by. [A laugh.]

Q.—Did he tell you that? A.—He sent him!

Objected to and question waived.

Q.—Did he tell you why he was going? A.—For the benefit of his health; I saw him at his desk on the Thursday previous to the service of the subpœna on me; he gave me no intimation of it.

Q.—When you signed stock certificates as Assistant Secretary, how did you ascertain whether it was proper to put your signature to it; on what basis did you put your signature to the certificates? A.—The stock was surrendered previous to my signing any certificates; the transfer clerk kept a record of the old certificates surrendered, and I checked it; it was kept in a book called the daily balance.

Q.—Does that book show the surrender of old certificates which are the basis of the new issues? A.—Yes, Sir; it is about eighteen inches by fifteen, and twenty-one inches thick; all the transfers made in stock from the 20th December, 1870, to the 16th January, 1871, are contained therein; I do not look at the original certificates of stock; that is the duty of the transfer clerk.

Q.—In whose possession are the books containing these certificates which were issued in December and January last? A.—The transfer clerk or the auditor, Mr. E. F. MOUNSEN.

Q.—Do you recollect the issue of certificates in December and January last to E. R. Villard; Willard, Martin & Beach; De Forest Willard & Co., and Wm. Heath & Co.?

Mr. MORGAN objected, but the objection was disallowed.

A.—I remember nothing about these transactions; I couldn't have made out the certificates in that way; I can't until the certificates are produced I can give no information on the subject; I could not tell from the books; I kept no memorandum of all the certificates I signed; I only made my mark on the daily balance.

Q.—You can't recollect anything about the issue of stock to these parties? A.—I don't remember; the transfer clerk has charge of these matters, and no one else.

Q.—Have you anything to do with the transfer or registration of stock except merely to sign the certificates and checking the daily balance in the manner you have described? A.—No, Sir; neither have I anything to do with the proceeds of the stock so-called; the Auditor has charge of that; the books relating to the funds of the Company are kept by the Assistant Treasurer, JUDSON D. WHITE; I saw him at the office yesterday; I saw Mr. GOULD there this morning.

Q.—Can a stranger get access to Mr. GOULD? A.—If he made it his name and business, Mr. GOULD will see him when he is disengaged. The same process prevails in obtaining admission to the presence of Mr. FISK, Jr.

Q.—Would you have any difficulty in obtaining the books of the transfer clerk? A.—I think I should when they are not in my possession.

Q.—Who is the transfer clerk? A.—The transfer clerk, I suppose, but no one else.

Q.—Could not Mr. GOULD and FISK? A.—I don't know that he could.

Q.—Do you mean to say that the President if he wished to have these books produced would have any difficulty in finding them? A.—He could send for the transfer clerk, and he could produce them.

Q.—By the Master—Suppose the transfer clerk were away, would he be able to find them? A.—Not to my knowledge.

Q.—Do you suppose any one about the office could find these HILTONS whom you say had been there for the past few days? A.—I don't know.

Mr. SOUTHMAYD—We have now reached a point in the case where it was absolutely necessary these books should be produced. He asked the Court forthwith to compel the production of the certificate-books, the daily balance, and stock ledger, and the transfer-books kept in Jersey City, and the transfer-books, otherwise the investigation could proceed no further for the present.

The order was granted and the Court adjourned until 11 o'clock this morning.

Jay Gould in the New-Jersey Courts Again.

We observe that a complaint was laid before the Grand Jury in the Passaic, N. J., Oyer and Terminer, Wednesday, charging JAY GOULD with perjury.

The affidavits, the foundation for this charge, are published in full in the Paterson *Press*. They set forth that in a suit of BROWN, administrator, against GOULD, the latter came into open Court and swore that one WILLIAM T. HART, of Boston, was an important witness, and that he could not be in attendance because of illness; that HART had agreed to be in attendance and would have kept his agreement but for such illness.

The plaintiff's counsel sent a messenger to Boston, who, with another party, interviewed Mr. HART. Counsel's (allege) witness, said he (HART) declared that he had never heard of the case, had never been written to or spoken to by GOULD, or any person for him; that he had never heard of the litigation in which GOULD wanted him for a witness, and that he had not been sick.

These allegations are set forth in two affidavits—one made by BRADFORD BLANCHARD, merchant, of Boston; the other by DAVID B. BEAN, merchant, of Paterson.

Serving Papers on Jay Gould.

The loud clamor which JAY GOULD made a few days ago about a brutal assault on him by a Deputy Marshal, was, as we stated at the time, without any foundation. The case was investigated by the Grand Jury, yesterday, and that body decided, by dismissing the charge, that the serving of Judge BEATTY's injunction on GOULD by Mr. PERRON, the Deputy Marshal, was executed in a polite and proper manner.

PERSONAL, POLITICAL AND GENERAL.

The Delaware Legislature has passed a bill allowing attachments on wages for debt.

Ohio boarded the prisoners in its Penitentiary for $65 10 each last year.

A white hedge-hog, twenty-two inches in length, has been shot up in New-Hampshire.

New-Orleans has now more fast teams and stylish private turnouts than it ever had before, even prior to the war.

The Republican Executive Committee of Mississippi favors the holding of an election in November for county officers and members of the Legislature.

And now, totally oblivious of the fact that CARL SCHURZ is ineligible, a writer in the *National Standard* is urging him for the Vice-Presidency.

The Newark *Courier* announces by authority, that under no circumstances can Mr. COURTLANDT PARKER accept the Republican nomination for Governor of New-Jersey.

The Springfield *Republican* styles GEORGE O. FOGG "the Concord politician." Why not Disord, in view of the result of the late election?

The case of JOHN M. BINCKLEY, against Ex-Commissioner ROLLINS, came up in the United States Circuit Court, at Baltimore, on Tuesday, and was continued till the next term.

Mayor HAMES, of Baltimore, vetoed a bill fixing the salaries of the City Commissioners at $1,200 per annum, and raising his own from $5,000 to $6,000. One branch of the Council has already passed the bill over his veto.

ANDREW JOHNSON denies the assertion of his "favorite friend" that he is anxious to be received back into the Republican fold. Well, the reception, the magnanimous man was not very enthusiastic or encouraging to him, if he had intimations to swing around this way.

Not until he read it in a Chicago paper did Col. JAMES C. NIXON, formerly editorial owner of the New-Orleans *Crescent*, know that he is now a poor hard-working journalist in New-Orleans, on a very moderate salary.

The people of Massachusetts are to vote again on the first Tuesday in May, whether malt liquor shall be sold in their several towns or not. Only by a majority vote at a special election held on that day can any town forbid the sale of ale, porter, and lager beer.

Seventy graduate members of the Alpha Delta Phi Society, residing in the North-west, dined together in Chicago on Monday evening. As a new feature, ladies were invited to the feast, and after the toasts and the speeches there was a dance.

The street railways of Philadelphia last year carried only 85,109,938 passengers, which was 265,000 less than they carried the year before. Last year one person was killed and five injured by the cars. In 1869 nine were killed and twelve injured.

The Yale Divinity School has new a Buckingham Professorship of Sacred Literature, so named in recognition of the munificence of Hon. WM. A. BUCKINGHAM, who has been for many years a warm friend of the School, and has given to the fund for instruction at different times between $80,000 and $40,000.

A spiritual circle in Cincinnati has learned from a departed shade all about the next Presidential election. The departed shade says out that the Republicans will nominate two candidates, Gen. GRANT and a Radical, and the Democrats Chief-Justice CHASE, and that the last will be elected and we shall dwell in peace and good-will ever after.

Louisville cries for the next National Democratic Convention, and says, through the *Courier-Journal*, that what the Democratic Party needs is light, (which is true enough,) and if the North and West will come there they can look directly into the South and get a perfect notion of the Southern situation, which is again to be the bone of contention.

Rev. SAMUEL HARRIS, D. D., who has been elected to the Dwight Professorship of Didactic Theology in the Yale Divinity School, was once a professor in the Bangor (Maine) Theological School, and is now President of Bowdoin College. He declined to accept the same position five years ago, but it is thought will not refuse it now.

Mr. JOHN S. SISSON, while plowing in a hop lot in the town of Bristol, Ontario County, one day last week, turned up a very beautiful and brilliant stone, as large as a walnut, and of dazzling brightness. The Canandaigua *Repository*, which tells the story, says that when the sun shines upon the stone, the eye cannot endure its lustre.

The terms of arbitration in the case of the will of the late Mr. WASHBURN, of Worcester, Mass., the Boston *Advertiser* says, are nearly agreed upon, and the American Bible Society will be represented by President WOOLSEY, of Yale College, in the proposed arbitration, by a disinterested committee between the Society and the widow of Mr. WASHBURN. The will has been in dispute three years.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Journal*, says, in referring to Senator CONKLING's contradiction of the statements made in reference to his action in Executive Session, that no Senator has been more often misunderstood, purposely of otherwise, by some of those who profess to give a correct account of the proceedings of the Senate, and that the Republican Administration has no firmer supporter than Mr. CONKLING.

The Democratic State Central Committee of Ohio have issued a call for their State Convention in Columbus, on Thursday, June 1, to nominate candidates for Governor and other State officers. They allude to the importance of the next election, and its influence upon the great contest of 1872, and say that the success of the ticket to be nominated depends in a very great degree upon the men to be put in nomination, and the harmony and unanimity of the Convention.

A New-Orleans man, who sunk a well in the rear of his factory the other day, found, when he had reached the depth of forty-six feet, that there was a sudden and very powerful flow of gas from it. The *Republican* tells his subsequent proceedings thus: "He immediately closed the pipe, thinking to utilize this gas for illuminating purposes, but found the pressure too great, when the idea struck him to direct it into the boiler of one of his engines, and experiment with it in making steam. But no sooner had the connection been made than the engine began to run entirely by the pressure of the gas acting upon the piston, at a pressure of twelve pounds to the square inch; and so it continued all day yesterday, giving no sign of exhaustion."

The Democrats of West Virginia are by no means unanimously in favor of the adoption of the Fifth amendment to the State Constitution, to enfranchise the ex-rebels, and the Wheeling *Register* regrets the apparent discord that has been developed by the zeal with which the friends and the opponents of the measure have urged their respective views, and the disposition that has been manifested on each side to read the other out of the party. Their chief objection to the amendment is the fact that it strikes the word "white" from the list of qualifications of voters.

The remains of JOHN C. CALHOUN were exhumed at Charleston, S. C., on Saturday morning last, and replaced in the vault where they originally reposed. The *News* says: "It will be remembered, by a chosen few, that on the night preceding the evacuation of Morris Island by the Confederate forces, the bones of CALHOUN were taken from their vault, for obvious reasons, and were laid in St. Philip's Church-yard, to the east of the venerable church. There the remains of our greatest statesman have rested in peace during these six eventful years. The rector, assistant rector, and the vestrymen of St. Philip's were present at the disinterment, and followed the coffin as it was borne to the old vault, west of the church."

The death of SAMUEL P. THRASHER, State Senator elect of New-Hampshire, curiously complicates matters which were by no means clear before. He was elected by a very small majority, and if he had lived the election would have been contested. His death makes the Senate stand five Republicans and five Democrats, with two vacancies. These two vacancies must be filled by the two Houses in joint convention. When there is no choice or a member elect dies, the constitutional candidates for the Legislature are the two candidates who received the highest number of votes. Between these two the Legislature must choose. Now, in Mr. THRASHER's district the next highest two candidates were ALBINA HILL, of Croydon, the Republican nominee, and ALVAN SMITH, of Lempster, also a thorough-going Republican, who got four votes. It is not probable that the Democrats will get control of the Legislature on a joint ballot, but should they by any chance succeed, even then they will be compelled to choose a Republican Senator to fill this vacancy. In the First District, where the other vacancy exists through the failure of the people to elect, they will of course elect a Democrat. In that case there will be a tie in the Senate.

NOTES FROM THE PEOPLE

The Hog-Slaughtering Nuisance.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

On the 23d ult., an article was published by the Committee on Permits of the Board of Health, in favor of granting a permit to erect buildings for the purpose of slaughtering hogs, at the foot of West Fifty-second-street. A protest from the residents of the vicinity was laid before the Board of Health on the 29th ult., which was accepted, and a notice sent to the hog-slaughterer of Portieth-street and North River to attend the next meeting. When the notice was delivered to this gentleman he refused to attend. Petitions were got up by residents in the immediate vicinity and adjoining the proposed hog-pens, which were endorsed by J. J. Astor, James Brown, Erastus Lyman, Jordan Mott, J. J. Astor, Jr., J. S. Striker, J. S. Jeanes, J. S. Treadwell, and many other influential property-owners. A noticeable feature was a petition got up for the ladies, which bore over a hundred signatures. The hog-slaughterer also got up a petition, and, by representing he was going to use his buildings as a packing-house, only, and promising pork at a much-reduced price, secured the names of some residents, principally tenants, many of which, however, subsequently withdrew their names from his petition and indorsed them on that of the protesting party. Now, if a poor family have a single hog they are waited upon by a sanitary officer and notified to kill or remove said animal within a given time, or, if there should chance to be a stagnant pool of water, a notice is sent to abate the nuisance or a fine will be imposed. Judge then having thousands of hogs continually penned up awaiting slaughter under our noses in a thickly-settled neighborhood. AN INJURED RESIDENT.

NEW-YORK, Monday, April 10.

The Income Tax Law—Has it Been Declared Constitutional?

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Not wishing in the least to discourage any movement tending to secure the repeal of the odious income tax, but desiring only to warn those who are exerting themselves for that purpose of an error which seems very generally entertained, and which might prove an obstacle in their way, I beg leave to call attention to a decision, purporting to be from the Supreme Court of the United States, and which was published about two years ago in your paper, affirming the constitutionality of the Income Tax law, as I understand it.

According to that report, the Pacific Insurance Company, of California, brought an action against a Collector of internal revenue to recover back certain taxes upon its business and income, which it had paid upon compulsion, and under protest. The defendant demurred to the complaint, and the case having reached the Supreme Court of the United States, the opinion of that Court was delivered by Mr. Justice SWAYNE, who proceeded to discuss at length the question whether the taxes paid by the plaintiff, and sought to be recovered in that action, were direct taxes within the meaning of the Constitution of the United States; and he admitted that if they were such, it was clear that they had not been laid in conformity to the requirements of the Constitution; but he came to the conclusion, after reviewing numerous authorities, that the tax under consideration was not a direct tax, but a duty or excise, and that it was obligatory upon the plaintiffs to pay it.

If the report I have just quoted is correct, I do not see why the foregoing decision does not dispose of the constitutionality of the income tax, and yet I mistrust my judgment, for it does it seems to me incomprehensible that it should have been so entirely ignored in the numerous discussions which we have had on this subject from different quarters, and should have been left to the discovery of an humble

WILLIAMSBURG LAWYER.

Corrupt Rule of the "Ring"—Denunciations from the Pulpit.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

I notice in the speech delivered by the gentleman who moved the resolutions at the grand demonstration in Cooper Union Hall last Thursday evening certain strictures passed upon the clergy of the Metropolis for their lack of moral courage manifested in the silence they are said to maintain touching the wholesale corruption which reeks and festers in the State and Municipal Government under the Tweed régime.

The TIMES has spoken words of well-deserved praise for Rev. Mr. HEPWORTH's recent excoriation of the evils underlying New-York society, and condemnation of the apathy of its citizens in the midst of all this wickedness. To show that other clergymen have been engaged in the good work, I beg leave to quote a few sentences from a sermon preached some months ago in one of the leading pulpits of your City, by a gentleman who ranks very high as a scholar as well as a preacher.

Speaking from the words of Jesus to Nathanael, recorded in John i., 51, the reverend Doctor said: "Nathanael was no Cæsar, no Humboldt, but a simple Galilean villager. He was a man in whom there was 'no guile.' * * * Nathanaels are they who love the truth, in thought and word and act, and for truth's sake would wear honest poverty as a crown. They seldom become rich or receive earth's honors, for the devil owns this world, and where God does not interfere gives its wealth and honors to his own lackeys. Nathanaels never sell goods under false names; never insure them beyond their value, and then—let them burn; never water stock or borrow money to make dividends; never lie in wait to catch up the pittances of widows and orphans through technical defects in title; never try to save a rogue from his just deserts (be that rogue one man or a corporation) for the consideration of a part of the plunder; never vote to elevate to office of any kind a proved scoundrel through hope of personal reward or fear of party hatred or revenge; never buy over-rated property, nor sell, or paying a percentage to a 'friend' of those in authority, have the taxes reduced three-quarters; never grind the faces of the poor by reckless extravagance in jobbing contracts from the public treasury, giving themselves a larger margin for pillage, while the poor have to pay the cost in big rents and high prices; in short, Nathanaels are as far different from prevailing types of New-York life as Heaven is different from hell. Intruth, there is no other simile that suits the case, for Nathanaelism is from Heaven, while this wanton fraud and bloodshed abounding in our city is hell-born and hell-bound."

Certainly, if these men who complain of a time-serving pulpit want any stronger talk than that, they are very unreasonable in their demands; there is no use of trying to suit them. Such words deserve to be printed in capitals, and sent broadcast throughout the length and breadth of the land. CLERGYMAN.

MILFORD, Conn., Monday, April 10, 1871.

The Blind Mechanics' Association—How it Injures the Outside Blind.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

We believe the Managers of the Blind Mechanics' Association have applied for a donation of ten thousand dollars to be added to the TAX LEVY. This institution is the most notorious fraud ever forced upon the public by any legislative body. It has been in existence about eight years, and has been a scene of strife and contention up to the present time. The managers have had nearly sixty thousand dollars out of the public, and we do not believe the blind have received over half of it in the form of wages.

Last year the managers obtained an appropriation of $5,000 from the State, notwithstanding we protested against it. We had our remonstrance printed and sent to every member of the Legislature by mail. We also called on Mr. PETER B. SWEENY and explained the case to him; and he told us he would do all in his power to keep the institution from getting any appropriation. He advised us to call on Mr. ALEX. FREAR. We complied, and Mr. FREAR told us he knew the place was a fraud and failure, and would not give them one cent.

When we appointed a committee to go to Albany, they could not find one member that had received our remonstrance. It must have been stopped by some evil-disposed person. Mr. FREAR told our committee that it was by the managers' own request, and that it was only $6,000, and would not last long. The institution received the money, and in about five months it was all gone. The managers employed from about twenty to thirty persons, and they have not averaged the sum of $2 per week for the last year past. They sell their work for less than the cost of the materials, thereby injuring every one else in the same business, especially the poor outside blind.

PETER SPRAGG,
On behalf of his blind friends.

NEW-YORK, Sunday, April 9, 1871.

The Police and the Burglars.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

I have noticed your editorial on the "Police and Burglars." I can take you to six firms that have been robbed within six months, every one of which has been robbed from $500 to $5,000, and burglars got off with their booty. The vicinity of these robberies is in the neighborhood of Canal-street and Broadway.

A CONSTANT READER.

NEW-YORK, Sunday, April 9, 1871.

The Viaduct Railroad Bill—Its Failure.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Most of those who read the Viaduct Railroad bill, think it is intended only to raise a subscription to relieve the distressing wants of the public in rapid transit. By all the sentiments of that bill you will perceive that the Company to be formed under its most valuable franchise, are empowered to do anything above Houston-street in their discretion in ascertaining the routes to be made for said road. But in my mind this absolute discretion affords the "Ring" this golden opportunity—within three years they can take five millions of tax-payers money and build the road to Forty-second-street, then sell the twenty-five millions of stock which their own district in Tammany, or some other district, if need, at a nice little price. Thus bill will thus subserve two purposes. First, Fraud without risk. Second, Concentrating a great number of noble Democratic voters for the next Democratic campaign in the City of New-York. I don't see anything in the bill to prevent this programme. COUNSELLOR AT LAW.

Obsequies of Commodore J. S. Chauncey, United States Navy.

Yesterday the remains of the late Commodore J. S. CHAUNCEY, United States Navy, were consigned to their last resting-place with appropriate ceremonies. The Commodore entered the naval service in 1812, and consequently had served his country for over fifty-nine years. He has been unemployed since September, 1869. The funeral services were commenced first at his late residence, in Henry-street, Brooklyn, by Rev. Dr. TERRY, of the Seventh-avenue Church of that city. The body was dressed in full uniform, and was laid in a beautiful rose-wood coffin with silver trimmings. The plate bore the following inscription: "Commodore JOHN S. CHAUNCEY, died April 10, 1871, aged 69 years." After the services the coffin was borne by eight seamen from the United States ship *Vermont* to the hearse, followed by twenty seamen from the same vessel, headed by Boatswain BELL. Platoons came the pall-bearers, as follows: Commodores Henry K. Hoff and Francis H. Ellmaker; Capt. George M. Ransom, Pay-director Garrett S. Barry, Pay-inspector John S. Cunningham and Chief Engineer W. W. W. Wood.

The combined ages of the pall-bearers were over 317 years, 221 of which have been spent in the service of their country. Following in the rear were Fort Admiral SELAH H. STRONGHAM, (who has seen over sixty years' service,) and Admiral Gist was apparently as chaste of a man of forty. Capt. CRESTOPHE, of his staff, and a detail of officers from the United States ships *Tennessee*, *Shawsut* and *Tecondaroga*. Preceding the cortège was a battalion of marines, under the command of Lieut.-Col. John D. Broome, Major Houston, Capt. Meriam, Lieut. Wallace and Adj. Allen, and the Navy-yard Band. Twenty carriages, filled with mourners and friends, followed in the rear. At 1½ o'clock the procession moved to the South Ferry, via Amity, Court and Atlantic streets. A ferry-boat, specially detailed, was in waiting, and all crossed in a body. On the New-York side the pall-bearers were provided with carriages, and the march was taken up Broadway to Eighth-street, and thence to St. Mark's Church, corner of Tenth-street and Second-avenue.

The services at the church were conducted by Rev. Drs. TERRY and BYLAGE. At the close the friends of the deceased passed around the coffin and looked upon the last time upon the features of the Commodore. The remains were then conveyed to the vault of JAMES HAGGIS in the old grave-yard, where the final services were performed. The battalion of marines, numbering 145 muskets, fired with remarkable precision three volleys over the grave, and the people dispersed. The procession experienced considerable difficulty in passing up Broadway owing to the non-attendance of a Police force to keep the way clear. A request had been sent to the Mayor to have a detail provided, but none appeared. Had it been the funeral of a Tammany politician or a Fenian, Broadway would have been as clear of vehicles as it is on Patrick's Day. One of the marines received serious injuries in the left leg from an irritable driver of a dirt-cart, and wagons were suffered to drive promiscuously through the procession while the Police stood on the sidewalk playing with their fingers or chatting with spectators. The colors at the navy-yard and upon all vessels in commission in port were displayed at half-mast from 1 until 3 P. M.

Injunction Against the Indiana and Illinois Central Railroad Company.

Judge BRADY, yesterday, granted an injunction against the Indiana and Illinois Central Railroad Company, and A. L. ROACH and others, at the suit of WM. H. L. NOBLE. The injunction restrains the railroad company and the other defendants in the suit from disposing of any bonds purporting to be made by the Indiana and Illinois Central Railroad Company, and purporting to be secured by a mortgage to the Union Trust Company, dated April 1, 1870. The sureties on the bond of plaintiff are JOSEPH SELIGMAN and DAVID CRAWFORD, Jr., and the attorneys, BURRILL, DAVIDSON & BURRILL.

The Commissioners of Docks.

At the regular meeting of the Commissioners of Docks yesterday, permission which had been given to the Department of Parks to use one-half of the pier at the foot of One Hundred and Twentieth-street, East River, was revoked because of the enormous masses of stone which had been suffered to accumulate on the pier to an extent sufficient to impede the use of the wharf by the passengers of the Harlem boats. The petition of THOMAS KANE for leave to build a bulkhead between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, North River, was granted. The petition of WILLIAM NICKERSON for permission to construct an office on the bulkhead at the foot of Thirtieth-street, North River, was denied. The pier foot of Thirty-seventh-street was reported broken down, and the Superintendent was directed to have the same repaired. The Manhattan Gas Company obtained permission to erect a temporary platform at the foot of Seventeenth-street, North River, and the applicant of the same Company to have the bulkhead at the foot of Pier No. 15, North River, repaired at the expense of the Assemblyman who introduced the bill, as the issues are bound by the terms of their license to keep the same in order. Notice was given the occupants of the premises south of the west end of the pier foot of Twenty-sixth-street, North River, to remove the fence which they had put up across the bulkhead which obstructs the free use thereof. The Board then adjourned.

Our Public Schools.

In 1869, the parties controlling our City Government decided that the Board then in charge of our schools, who had been elected by the people, were incompetent and extravagant, and that the tax-payers of New-York as a body needed guardians, who should be appointed to protect their interests. Accordingly, in April, 1869, the Mayor appointed a dozen men of financial experience, and not only so, but of experience in public finance—as nearly all held public office and received municipal salaries in other positions—to conduct the affairs of our school system until 1872, when a representative Board, elected by the people, should again assume control. The result of this experiment has proved so satisfactory to the parties who control, that it is now decided to withhold all voice as to their successors from the people, and to have the Mayor again appoint.

It becomes the tax-payers to look into and understand the economy secured, that they may heartily acquiesce in the policy of appointed Boards of Education. We regret that the modesty of the present Board has prevented them from making an official comparative survey of the savings consequent upon their administration. As we think it desirable that those interested in our schools and taxes should know the facts, we collate from official documents.

The previous Board, in 1868, estimated the cost of the system for 1869 at $3,129,000, of which they set apart for new buildings $450,000, leaving for other current expenses, $2,700,000. On entering upon their duties, retrenchment being the watchword, the incoming Board found that there was no need for more school buildings, and asserted in the report of their Committee that there were 40,000 empty seats in those already built. The average attendance, according to report, for 1868, was 88,164, and the whole number taught during the year 108,161. With this view the Board fixed their estimates for 1869 at $2,250,000 for items for new buildings, and only called for $2,223,000; to which was added balance of said fund of 1869, $226,000; leaving for other current expenses in 1870, $2,522,000.

In 1870 they were compelled to present an estimate for 1871, and at this time the effect of experience became manifest. They then ask for current expenses, $2,750,000. In addition to this, they now find it necessary to erect new school buildings and enlarge old ones; notwithstanding that, according to their report in 1869, there are 41,[illegible] empty seats; there having been 1,601 less in average attendance, and 8,297 less in number taught than in 1868. Average attendance for 1870, 86,156 pupils; whole number 1870, 100,864 pupils.

The Board accordingly secure the issue of bonds by the City for new buildings, &c., of $650,000. Besides this they procured an item in the tax levy for new building for Normal College of $600,000, and also an act directing the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to set apart for the erection of said Normal College building valued at $600,000. And this notwithstanding that they refused to retain lots secured by the previous Board at a cost of $13,500, on the ground of extravagance. We thus find actually a fund for 1871 of $3,250,000, against that of the extravagant Board of 1868 of $3,150,000, for 1869—an increase of $600,000, with less pupils attending the schools.

Having demonstrated the ability to save the public money, the parties controlling now feel at liberty to use these savings, (?) or at least some portion of them, in punishing certain publishers who have not treated the leaders of the Ring in power with due respect. HARPER & BROTHERS, who have long been under the occasional criticism of the action of these leaders, publish also very popular series of readers and elementaries, which are warmly endorsed and used by the teachers in these schools. What better way to spite these unmanageable publishers than to strike these books from the list? What matter that they have highly recommended by superintendents and teachers, and that they have been used for years? Remember, that the Ring controlled in 1869. It is said that the Board have adopted the report of the Committee to that effect, advertised for bids according to their by-laws, and awarded the contract for a year's supply to the lowest bidder. Still, some things can be done as well as others, and the Board, in the second place, may yet be made to feel the consequences of their action. Let the people quietly and respectfully decide that WILLSON's Readers and PRAGNAL's Arithmetics, being published by HARPER & BROTHERS, no no longer need.

But this looks politically, and this Board contains five Republican members. Careful examination of the personnel of the Board shows twenty-one members, have been wisely selected by Mayor HALL. On all important matters, at least those originating near the City Hall, they have always voted with the Democrats. If, instead that this is demanded, they will do so in the case. They do, and not less than 20,000 volumes of Harper's, in the Public Schools, will be given away and new ones, not so acceptable, at least to the teachers, who have adopted these, must be bought and substituted. It is gratifying with this exhibit, to learn from Mayor HALL that he will surely disappoint these same men if they will serve. What will such economy produce in a few years more?

Relief for the French People.

Mr. CHARLES LANIER, Treasurer of the fund for the relief of the suffering population of France, acknowledges the receipt of the following additional subscriptions to April 13:

[illegible] Church, Bordentown, N. J. $14 00
St. Andrew's P. E. Church, Mount Holly, N. J. 20 00
J. O. Bloomer, Towns, Iowa 1 70
H. Buffalo, N. Y. 7 00
Amity Church, Amity, New-York City 25 00
Church, Church, Bridgewater, N. J. 25 00
Trinity Church, Red Bank, N. J. 15 00
Chemical, the Mallory, New-York City 16 00
St. Paul's Reformed Church, Yonkers, N. Y. 25 00
St. John's Church, Woodside, N. Y. 15 00
P. M. Church of the Mediator, Edgewater, N. J. 27 00
J. E. Minder, Ridgefield, N. J. 20 00
T. G. Elliot, Portland, Oregon 5 40
St. Paul's Church, Germantown, N. Y. 46 00
St. Timothy's Church, New-York City 5 00
Mission Church of the Mediator, New-York City 3 70
Episcopal Church, Cedar Grove, Wis. 10 00
Citizens of North Cornwall, Conn. 25 00
Trinity Church, Newark, N. J. 50 00
Presbyterian Church, Kinsman, Ohio 10 00
St. Paul's Church, Camden, N. J. 50 00
Throop Mission, Carolina Dayl, Orange, N. J. 10 00
Second A. R. Church, Newark, N. J. 50 00
Greenfield Reformed Church, of York, Minn. 5 12
Miss B. J. Keser, Upper Strasburgh, Penn. 10 00
W. A. Howard, Kinderhook, Mich. 15 00
Chas. D. Ogden, Newark, N. J. 5 00
J. A. [illegible], New-York 5 00
Cash, N. New-York 5 00
Christ Church, Rye, N. Y. 110 00
Reformed Church, Tappan, N. Y. 30 00
J. T. Bowen, Weberville, Texas 5 00
Chatham, N. J., Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. Dr. J. R. Ogden 37 35

Total amount received by the Chairman of Committee, $15,848 85. By Produce Exchange Committee, $15,000. Grand total, $30,848 85.

The Duty on Hemp—The Suit Against Ex-Collector Gilbert Decided in His Favor.

In the United States Circuit Court yesterday, Judge WOODRUFF resumed the hearing of the action instituted by WILLIAM KORTE & Co., extensive hemp manufacturers, vs. P. GILBERT, formerly Collector of the Port of New-York, for the recovery of $12,000 which it is alleged he exacted, improperly by imposing excessive duty on unmanufactured hemp imported by them into the United States. Mr. GEO. TICKNOR CURTIS replied to the argument of the Government, which was briefly noticed in yesterday's TIMES. The Court, after an exhaustive review of the facts of the case, came to the conclusion that the plaintiffs failed to sustain their allegations, and directed the jury to render a verdict for the defendant. The jury returned a verdict in accordance with the directions of the Court.

Santa Anna's Creditors Again After Him.

An attachment was yesterday granted by Judge BRADY against the property of ANTONIO LOPEZ DE SANTA ANNA, at the suit of WILLIAMS & GUION. The action is brought to recover an old claim of $28,000.

New-Jersey Town Elections—Gratifying Republican Successes, Giving Good Promise of the Future.

The town elections in New-Jersey, for 1871, have just been completed, all the cities, except Newark and Elizabeth, having voted. Those two cities hold their local elections in the Fall. County Boards of Freeholders—organizations with powers and duties similar to the Supervisors in New-York State—have been chosen, and of the twenty-one counties, eleven have elected a majority of Republicans, carrying a majority of Democrats, and in two (Salem and Middlesex) there is a tie. The Republican counties are Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Essex, Gloucester, Hudson, Morris, Passaic and Somerset. The Democratic counties are Bergen, Hunterdon, Mercer, Monmouth, Ocean, Sussex, Union and Warren. Hudson and Somerset are Republican gains, and Mercer a Democratic gain; Salem was Democratic and Ocean was a tie last year. The Republicans also make large gains in Middlesex and Bergen, although not enough to carry them. Of the larger cities and towns the Republicans have carried Jersey City, Paterson, Camden, New-Brunswick, (except the Mayor,) Bridgeton, Burlington and Plainfield; and the Democrats Hoboken, Rahway, Trenton, Orange, Bordentown, Morristown and Princeton. Of the towns [illegible] Hackensack, Bergen, Cranford, Hudson, [illegible] Bill and the town elections indicate that the Republicans will carry a majority of Senators and retain the control of the State Senate.

THE BUILDING REC

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SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.

APRIL 13.

Before Justice Freedman and a Jury.

CONDITIONAL ACCEPTANCES.

The Merchants' National Bank of Memphis vs. Abraham H. Cardozo et al.—This was an action to recover $888 and interest upon two drafts drawn by W. S. Bearden, at Memphis, upon the defendants, and discounted by the plaintiffs in December, 1868. The defendants, in November, accepted the drafts "payable at Messrs. Wm. Woodward's, in New-York, at sight for $6,000." The letter, however, referred to certain cotton transactions, and to another letter. The plaintiff claimed to have discounted the drafts at the request of Bearden, upon the faith of the letter of November. The defendants claimed that the understanding between the officers and bankers was that the drafts were drawn were to be used exclusively in advancing upon cotton, which was to be forwarded by him, from Memphis, to them at New-York, to be sold by them, so that they could reimburse themselves from the proceeds, and that the production of later letters would (at least) show the conditional character of the authority. That they never had been used by Bearden, and upon for that purpose, and the defendants received no consideration whatever for them, and it was insisted that the plaintiffs had no right to rely on the one letter alone, even if that were a sufficient unconditional authority, which it was insisted it was not.

At the close of the plaintiff's case, the Court, on motion of the defendant's counsel held that the statute (2 R. S. 705, § 4) under which the action was brought, must be strictly construed, and required a clear unconditional authority to draw, and that the letter in question alone was not such, and dismissed the complaint. Mr. Richard Sheale and Benjamin for the plaintiffs, John Graham and George Owen for the defendants.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—

APRIL 12.

Before Chief-Justice Daly and a Jury.

INSURANCE—LIABILITY OF AGENT.

William Kellenberger et al. vs. Samuel Dally.—The plaintiffs shipped thirty-six bales of hops on the City of Boston, through the defendant, consigned to Messrs. Ellis & Hargreaves, of Liverpool. The ship was lost and the hops with them, and plaintiffs now sue to recover the value of the hops, in having shipped through him with instructions to insure. Defendant denies that he had any instructions to insure, either direct or implied. The value of the property is $1,240.

Case still on.

THE CORONER ACCIDENT CASE—VERDICT OF $500 FOR PLAINTIFF.

Powers vs. The Hudson River Railroad Company.—In this case which was brought to recover $5,000 damages for the death of the plaintiff's brother by defendant's train, and who she claimed was her sole support, the facts of which have already appeared in the Times, the jury have rendered a verdict in favor of plaintiff for $500.

Mr. Korn for plaintiff, Mr. Loomis and Mr. Burrill for defendant.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART II.

APRIL 12.

Before Judge Joseph F. Daly and a Jury.

LIFE INSURANCE—MISREPRESENTATIONS IN ORDER TO OBTAIN—CARD NO HEALTH.

Thomas Drennan vs. The Security Life Insurance Company.—This is an action to recover $5,000 on a policy of insurance issued on the life of one Scott. The defence is that the insured misrepresented the condition of health at the time he insured, he being then and previously suffering from Bright's Disease, and other diseases, of one of which he subsequently died. The deceased was also insured in the Ætna, of Hartford, and other companies, which have settled. Case still on.

Thomas Brennan and John McKeon for plaintiff; Miller, Stoughtenburg and Peckham for defendant.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—APRIL 12.

Before Judge Loan.

UNDUE INFLUENCE—SUIT AGAINST FATHER.

Elijah Brady vs. Alfred Brady.—This is an action by a father, sixty-years of age, against his son, to compel a reconveyance of three houses and lots at the junction of Greene and Grand streets, in this City, valued at $18,000. The father alleges in his complaint that he and his son, the defendant, were joint owners of the premises in question; that he, plaintiff, is old and feeble of body and mind, while the defendant is in full vigor of body and mind; that he has now transferred all the business in relation to the property, and under pretense of wanting to raise some money on it on pond and mortgage, has got the plaintiff to assign the interest to him, agreeing to reassign at any time the plaintiff requested it; that defendant now refused to reassign and repudiates the trust, and refuses to give the rents. Wherefore plaintiff has brought the present action. Defendant demurs to the complaint, contending that it does not set forth facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action. The argument on the demurrer being concluded Judge Loan took the papers and reserved his decision.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—APRIL 12.

By Judge Brady.

NOTICE TO THE MAN.

A note of issue must be filed in every case for the third Monday of April motion calendar.

Hanover National Bank vs. Moschcovitz. (four cases.) Hanover Nat. Bank vs. Moschcovitz. (four cases.) Hanover Nat. Bank vs. Moschcovitz; motion granted.

By Judge Van Brunt.

James H. Rhodes vs. The North American Steam-ship Company; case settled.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM—APRIL 12.

By Judge Sutherland.

Otis G. Bernah vs. Sidney W. Hopkins; Frederick Ricer vs. The Ansonia Water Supply Company; Peter Nelson vs. Charles Lehnig; R. M. Bailey vs. A. W. Griswold; Edward S. Jenkins vs. John S. Harris et al.; Charles D. Lord vs. James Donovan; Virginia Burke vs. Ira C. Gardner; orders granted.

By Judge Freedman.

Phillip S. Justice vs. William H. Lent, Jr.; upon presentation of an engrossed copy of this case as corrected by me, with all amendments which were allowed properly inserted, together with an affidavit that said copy has been carefully compared and is a true copy of the case as corrected, the case will be marked "settled," and ordered on file.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM—APRIL 12.

By Justices, G. J., and Barnard and Cardozo, JJ.

Geltz, Trustee, et. Bissoe; judgment ordered upon the verdict for plaintiff.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—APRIL 12.

By Judge Loan.

Jessecome vs. National Steam-ship Company; motion to remove cause into United States Court; granted.

Stock vs. Stock; order granted.

Wiley vs. Lee; the motion in this case must be argued before me on the 18th instant.

Brown vs. Chase; the order heretofore granted in this case is modified so as to give the defendants five days additional time to answer from a service of a copy of this order.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS.

ALBANY, April 13.—The following is the Court of Appeals Day Calendar for April 14: Nos. 139, 148, 174, 176, 148, 115, 122, 123.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Hold by Sutrahan, P. J., Barnard and Cardozo, JJ.

Nos. 177—Harley vs. James.
[illegible]—Van Keller vs. State bank.
[illegible]—Weil vs. Kline.
[illegible]—Brewster, ex. vs. The Mayor.
[illegible]—Potter vs. Hatfield.
[illegible]—De Lamar vs. Pike.
[illegible]—Jelsey vs. Kelly.
[illegible]—Porter vs. Kelly.
[illegible]—Bell vs. Waterbury.
[illegible]—Elliott vs. Peck.
[illegible]—Elwood vs. Oliver.
[illegible]—Wagner vs. Van Nostrand.
[illegible]—Same vs. Same.
[illegible]—Holyoke vs. Wagner.
[illegible]—Porter vs. Tuttleton.
[illegible]—Kellogg vs. Hunt.
[illegible]—Mitchell vs. Carlin.
[illegible]—Rosenthal vs. Weddel.
[illegible]—Richman vs. Tyler.
[illegible]—Maryland Coal Co. vs. Insurance.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by C. J. Daly, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. 122—Parker vs. O'Brien.
[illegible]—Cassidy vs. Gourmand.
[illegible]—Christopher vs. O'Brien, Sheriff.
[illegible]—Townsend vs. Brooklyn Navigation Co.
[illegible]—Ivy vs. Stillwell.
[illegible]—Salem vs. Hilder.
Nos. 1[illegible]—McSherry vs. Murphy.
[illegible]—Hewlett vs. Blanck.
[illegible]—Bonvert, ex. Godfrey.
[illegible]—Gravesotte vs. Wood.
[illegible]—Kelly vs. Mayor.
[illegible]—Buckbee vs. Kammerer.
[illegible]—Cochrane vs. Cash.

Part II.—Held by F. R. Daly, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Lacourtel vs. Cohen.
[illegible]—Bardell vs. Bardell.
[illegible]—Stanley vs. Sutphy.
[illegible]—Waltzes vs. Tizard.
[illegible]—Mutschelmeyer vs. Weeks.
[illegible]—Kellogg vs. Hunt.
[illegible]—Gottlieb vs. Ritter.
[illegible]—Bell vs. Pinkney.
[illegible]—McLaughlin vs. Quigley.

Part III.—Held by Jacobson, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Stratchan vs. Werner.
[illegible]—Stratchan vs. Meyer.
[illegible]—Stratchan vs. Newman.
[illegible]—Cheitlemann vs. Heidelman.
Nos. [illegible]—Sama vs. Same.
[illegible]—Parker vs. Pearsall.
[illegible]—Green vs. Seely.
[illegible]—Hunt vs. Lackey.
[illegible]—Atwood vs. Ayden.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by Recorder, Recorder.

1—The People vs. Charles Archibald; felonious assault and battery.
2—The People vs. Alfred Rafferty; burglary.
3—The People vs. John Fallers; grand larceny.
4—The People vs. Bella Cole; grand larceny.
5—The People vs. John Clark; grand larceny.
6—The People vs. Kate Newell; grand larceny.
7—The People vs. Thomas Mead and Magnus Lowery; grand larceny.
8—The People vs. Michael Rooney and James Fitzsimmons; grand larceny.
9—The People vs. John Watson; grand larceny.
10—The People vs. Charles E. Forrest; false pretenses.
11—The People vs. George H. Smith, two cases; grand larceny.
12—The People vs. Patrick W. Smith; four cases; obtaining goods by false tokens.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Curtis, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Kelton vs. Barton.
[illegible]—Golden vs. Porter.
[illegible]—Tanner vs. Harris.
[illegible]—Campbell vs. Gerhard.
[illegible]—Frey vs. Cooke.
[illegible]—O'Connor vs. Brown.
Nos. [illegible]—King vs. George.
[illegible]—Robinson vs. McIntyre.
[illegible]—Bell vs. Pinkney.
[illegible]—Gottlieb vs. Ritter.
[illegible]—McLaughlin vs. Quigley.

Part III.—Held by Jacobson, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Cohen vs. Kohne.
[illegible]—Gilbert vs. Gilbert.
[illegible]—Hebbard vs. Hall.
[illegible]—Vanderbilt vs. Reeve.
[illegible]—Lowry vs. Waterbury.
Nos. [illegible]—Weed vs. Gilbert.
[illegible]—Newton vs. Helmer.
[illegible]—Myers vs. Schofield.
[illegible]—Carvalho vs. Bulkley.
[illegible]—Mitchell vs. Carlin.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Part I.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Short Causes.

Nos. [illegible]—Chopp vs. Ostrander.
[illegible]—Osgood et al. vs. Thompson et al.
[illegible]—Graham vs. Smith.
[illegible]—Johnson vs. Van Nostrand.
[illegible]—Baker et al vs. Bairbridge.
[illegible]—Randolph vs. Peck et al.
[illegible]—Monhemer vs. Johnson.
[illegible]—Barton vs. Thornton.
[illegible]—Bourke vs. McElwain.
[illegible]—McGrath vs. Willis.
[illegible]—Tucker vs. Harris.
[illegible]—Maas vs. Freund.
[illegible]—Harmon vs. Scott et al.
Nos. [illegible]—Brillinger vs. Finlay.
[illegible]—Frye vs. Lockhard.
[illegible]—Caldwell vs. Stetson.
[illegible]—Bostwick vs. Wisbey.
[illegible]—Rosenthal vs. Weddel.
[illegible]—Richman vs. Tyler.

Part II.—Held by Sutherland, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Short Causes.

Nos. [illegible]—Gunkelsheimer vs. Darlington.
[illegible]—Sprague vs. Rich-ardson.
[illegible]—Kneel vs. Duhu.
[illegible]—Hawley vs. Taylor.
[illegible]—Knickerbocker Ice Co. vs. Dyrcht.
[illegible]—Eisendorf vs. Waterbury.
[illegible]—Kerr vs. Kennedy.
[illegible]—Walsh vs. Ennis.
[illegible]—Nassau National Bank vs. Chase.
[illegible]—Watkins vs. Morris.
[illegible]—Roesch vs. Fuchsmann.
Nos. [illegible]—Hildick vs. Pond.
[illegible]—Tuel vs. Benson.
[illegible]—Billerse et al. vs. Cadez et al.
[illegible]—Brainard vs. Sternbach.
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[illegible]—Davis et al. vs. Lang.
[illegible]—Kohnstam vs. Schlisser.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Brady, J.—Court opens 10 A. M.—Call of Calendar at 12 M.

Nos. 80—In re Baltic Fire Ins. Co.
84—Gillies et al. vs. Rider.
92—Fitch vs. Patterson.
[illegible]—Hilton vs. Claver.
111—Schrom et al. vs. Wilkes et al.
112—Conover et al. vs. Conover et al.
122—Blomer vs. Newton.
143—Gosch et al. vs. The Am. and Mex. R. R. Co.
Nos. 145—Miller et al. vs. Cogden et al.
147—Bennett vs. Langdon.
148—Anderson vs. Smith et al.
[illegible]—Lane vs. Matthews.
[illegible]—McBratney vs. Cent. Branch Un. Pac. R. R.
[illegible]—Copeland vs. Giles.
[illegible]—Lang vs. Waller.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Freedman, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Short Causes.

Nos. 1297—Caldwell vs. Carpenter.
[illegible]—Redfield vs. Way.
[illegible]—Ross vs. Weber.
[illegible]—Vanse vs. Bogert.
[illegible]—Liverpool and London Globe Ins. Co. vs. Henderson.
[illegible]—Ocle vs. Hilliard.
[illegible]—St. John vs. Skinner.
[illegible]—Quackenbos vs. Kellogg.
[illegible]—Rice vs. Clark.
[illegible]—Hallgarten vs. Pierman.
[illegible]—Fuss vs. Calm.
[illegible]—Waterson vs. Rogers.
[illegible]—Conner vs. Taylor.
[illegible]—Maryland Coal Co. vs. Insurance.
Nos. 1365—Stevens vs. Cole.
[illegible]—Maclellan, ex., vs. Fayville.
[illegible]—Sutton, Jr., vs. Ehnswelker.
[illegible]—Studebaker vs. Smith.
[illegible]—Polak vs. Campbell.
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[illegible]—Winters vs. Kelly.
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[illegible]—Brillinger vs. Finlay.
[illegible]—Frye vs. Lockhard.
[illegible]—Caldwell vs. Stetson.
[illegible]—Bostwick vs. Wisbey.
[illegible]—Rosenthal vs. Weddel.
[illegible]—Richman vs. Tyler.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by C. J. Daly, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Parker vs. O'Brien.
[illegible]—Cassidy vs. Gourmand.
[illegible]—Christopher vs. O'Brien, Sheriff.
[illegible]—Townsend vs. Brooklyn Navigation Co.
[illegible]—Ivy vs. Stillwell.
[illegible]—Salem vs. Hilder.
Nos. [illegible]—McSherry vs. Murphy.
[illegible]—Hewlett vs. Blanck.
[illegible]—Bonvert, ex. Godfrey.
[illegible]—Gravesotte vs. Wood.
[illegible]—Kelly vs. Mayor.
[illegible]—Buckbee vs. Kammerer.
[illegible]—Cochrane vs. Cash.

Part II.—Held by F. R. Daly, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Lacourtel vs. Cohen.
[illegible]—Bardell vs. Bardell.
[illegible]—Stanley vs. Sutphy.
Nos. [illegible]—Waltzes vs. Tizard.
[illegible]—Mutschelmeyer vs. Weeks.
[illegible]—Kellogg vs. Hunt.
[illegible]—Gottlieb vs. Ritter.
[illegible]—Bell vs. Pinkney.
[illegible]—McLaughlin vs. Quigley.

Part III.—Held by Jacobson, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Stratchan vs. Werner.
[illegible]—Stratchan vs. Meyer.
[illegible]—Stratchan vs. Newman.
[illegible]—Cheitlemann vs. Heidelman.
Nos. [illegible]—Sama vs. Same.
[illegible]—Parker vs. Pearsall.
[illegible]—Green vs. Seely.
[illegible]—Hunt vs. Lackey.
[illegible]—Atwood vs. Ayden.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Part I.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Short Causes.

Nos. 1297—Caldwell vs. Carpenter.
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[illegible]—Richman vs. Tyler.

Part II.—Held by Sutherland, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Short Causes.

Nos. [illegible]—Gunkelsheimer vs. Darlington.
[illegible]—Sprague vs. Richardson.
[illegible]—Kneel vs. Duhu.
[illegible]—Hawley vs. Taylor.
[illegible]—Knickerbocker Ice Co. vs. Dyrcht.
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[illegible]—Nassau National Bank vs. Chase.
[illegible]—Watkins vs. Morris.
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Nos. [illegible]—Hildick vs. Pond.
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Part III.—Held by Jacobson, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Short Causes.

Nos. [illegible]—Cohen vs. Kohne.
[illegible]—Gilbert vs. Gilbert.
[illegible]—Hebbard vs. Hall.
[illegible]—Vanderbilt vs. Reeve.
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Nos. [illegible]—Weed vs. Gilbert.
[illegible]—Newton vs. Helmer.
[illegible]—Myers vs. Schofield.
[illegible]—Carvalho vs. Bulkley.
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Part I.—Held by Curtis, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos. [illegible]—Kelton vs. Barton.
[illegible]—Golden vs. Porter.
[illegible]—Tanner vs. Harris.
[illegible]—Campbell vs. Gerhard.
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[illegible]—O'Connor vs. Brown.
Nos. [illegible]—King vs. George.
[illegible]—Robinson vs. McIntyre.
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FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—APRIL 12.

FIRST BOARD.

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THE FOOL'S REVENGE. Leading characters by Messrs. Edwin Booth and Lawrence Barrett.

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Broadway, near Bleecker-st.
RICHARD III. Leading characters by Mssrs. James Dennin, Marlowe, Levick, Miss Caroline Cornwall, Mrs. Poland and Miss Hawthorne.

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MARRIED FOR MONEY, &c. Leading characters by Messrs. Charles Mathews, H. Davidge, Parkes, Burnett, Miss Gilbert and Miss Kate Newton.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
Broadway, near Houston.
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FOURTEENTH-STREET THEATRE.
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THE STATE CAPITAL.

Insolent Dictation to Republicans by the Ring.

Boss Tweed on His Mettle—The Democracy in Course Defiant—The Republican Members Resolute—A New Election to Secure the Majority.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

ALBANY, April 13.—The bullying dictation of the Tammany Ring has assumed a shape this evening that is altogether novel and extraordinary. Boss TWEED has undertaken to tell the Republicans of this Legislature that they shall not agree among themselves to vote against his bills, whether they be party measures or private swindles. The sublime impudence of the Boss and his followers has filled the Republicans here, as it will doubtless fill the mind of the public everywhere, with amazement, and they are curiously asking themselves what is to come next. It will be impossible for the Boss to go any further, unless he takes the ground that every Republican is bound by his oath to support any bill that the Tammany Ring may introduce, whatever may be its character. The people can see by the revolutionary action taken by the Democracy this evening, at the dictation of TWEED and SWEENY, how vitally important to the success of their schemes the Ring considered those infamous measures now pending in the Legislature, which have aroused the indignation of the long-suffering tax-payers of New-York City, as shown in the great meeting at Cooper Institute. It also indicates that the gangs of thieves who have fastened themselves upon the city do not intend to release their hold without a struggle. It was expected that the action of the Republican caucus, this morning, which appeared in full in the Albany *Journal* this evening, would excite the indignation of TWEED & Co., because it prevented their from bribing any Republican member to support their rascally measures, but no one anticipated that they would be insane enough to take such a position as they assumed this evening, or to initiate such a programme as they now contemplate. The sessions in both Houses, from the time they assembled at 7 P. M. until the adjournment, will be sent you in full by telegraph. TOM FIELDS led off in the Assembly, and, with his usual cowardice, closed by moving an adjournment, "which is not debatable," and thereby cutting off all reply from the Republican members. But fortunately the speech, like most of FIELDS' speeches, carries with it its own cure, like an over-dose of opium, or rather it would do so if it was allowed to go into print as he delivered it. Understanding this, he has taken care to revise the notes of the stenographer, and will doubtless dress himself up in much cleaner garb than he wore in the Assembly this evening.

A caucus of the Democrats of both Houses was held immediately after the adjournment, the result of which was that the party here agreed to introduce a bill to-morrow morning providing for a new election immediately in the district lately represented by Mr. IRVING, and if the Republicans refuse to vote for the bill, then the Democrats are to stop all further legislation and adjourn for twenty days, during which, as the law now stands, the Governor can call an election. SENYE WEBB expressed the sentiments, and advocated in a bold way the course proposed to be taken by his party. It is presumed that Tammany has pledged itself to the member from Clinton not to return IRVING at the new election, otherwise he could hardly have surrendered the programme. The whole scheme has been cooked up by TWEED, SWEENY, O'GORMAN and HOFFMAN since the adjournment this afternoon. The public of the State should mark the fact that this extraordinary and unprecedented action is taken by the Democratic Party simply because the Republicans have held a caucus and agreed to vote against six bills which the Democrats in the Legislature have declared to be party measures, and which they voted for as a body in the Upper House as party men. It should not be forgotten that the Democracy got their majority—the sixty-five votes in the Assembly—by a gross fraud, and have lost it by the gross misconduct of one of their own members. The Republicans would therefore be perfectly justifiable in refusing to vote for the bill authorizing a new election in Irving's district, unless, at the same time, a new election was ordered in the Seventh District, now represented by CAREY, a Democrat, against the wishes and votes of the people of that district, who elected HOMARO N. TWOMBLY. It is claimed that the Governor, under the law, can order a new election in Irving's district in twenty days without the passage of any bill. But it will be remembered that the Attorney-General decided the Governor had no power to order an election in Senator BLOOD's district after his death, and his seat has remained vacant during the whole session. If he has the power in the case of IRVING he had it in the case of BLOOD. Why, then, has he not exercised it? Simply because Senator BLOOD represented a Republican district, and he knew that an election then would add one to the Republican strength in the Senate. The Republicans have not yet decided what course of action to adopt, if the Democrats insist upon returning a substitute for IRVING before transacting any further business.

The Republicans have called a caucus for 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. Their programme is to vote against the bill to authorize the Governor to call a special election in IRVING's district. If they all do this the bill cannot pass, and the only recourse left for the Democrats will be to adjourn *sine die*, and then get the Governor to call an extra session of the Legislature, during which the law allows him to order a new election in the vacant district. If the Democracy choose to assume the responsibility of such a course, no Republican can have any objection. It is doubtful whether they will dare do it, but they must either do this or back down from the extraordinary position they have assumed this evening. Some of the Democrats are already sick of the ridiculous plight TWEED and SWEENEY have put their party in by making such a howl over the doings of a Republican caucus.

Important Action of the Republican Members of the Legislature—A Quiet Day—Canal Debate.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ALBANY, Thursday, April 13, 1871.

The Republican members of the Legislature have today done a deed that reflects honor upon themselves and deserves the gratitude, not only of their own party, but of every honest man in the State. A joint caucus of the Republicans of both Houses was held at 9 o'clock this morning, at which resolutions were unanimously adopted pledging all present to vote against six Tammany bills that are now pending, four of which passed the Senate before the Wood-Irving row, and are now before the Assembly, and two of which are now pending in the upper House. These bills are the Two per Cent. Tax Levy, the amended Registry law of the City of New-York, the amended Election law of New-York, the amended Charter of New-York, the amended Charter of the City of Buffalo, and the Police bill of Buffalo. The first four have already passed the Senate, and the last two are now pending there. The resolutions declare that any Republican member of the Legislature who shall vote for either of these measures shall be condemned over the signature of all the other Republican members, in every Republican paper in the State as a traitor to his party. Several Republicans were not present at the caucus, having failed to receive due notice, but all the absentees have assented to the action taken and signed their names to the resolutions adopted.

Nothing of public interest was done in either House at the morning session today. A large number of local bills were read a third time, and the Supply bill, as amended in Committee of the Whole last evening, passed the Assembly by a vote of 97 to 23. The clause creating a new Commission for building the Capitol will meet some opposition in the Senate, but the prevailing opinion is that it will finally become a law. The appropriation for the new Capitol will also be increased in the Senate to a million dollars, probably. Notwithstanding the recommendation in the Governor's Message, that work should be suspended on the Capitol till the state debt is reduced or the burdens of taxation diminished, the prevailing opinion appears to be that if the new Capitol is to be built at all, the sooner it is done the better and cheaper it will be for the State.

ANOTHER CANAL SPEARING.

The inevitable canal question still agitates the Senate, and it seems as if no power could settle it. Every person who utilizes a hobby over this avenue of commerce to ventilate the condition of his farm, comes to the State and asks that the Legislature pass a law ordering the Comptroller or the appraisers to try his claim. One bill of this kind having a most singular history, was this morning discussed. Since 1864 the bill mentioned above has been three times presented to the Legislature, and three times has an act been passed referring it to the regularly appointed Court for hearing claims of this character. On the first hearing the bill was sent to the Canal Board, and at that time Messrs. BELDEN and SANFORD E. CHURCH were members of that body. They made an extended examination of the case, and in an elaborate opinion decided that the State was not liable. Another year the claim was presented, and its hearing authorized, and this time Attorney-General MYERS placed his judgment against its validity. Still the claimants were not satisfied, but tried another chance, and again Gen. MARTINDALE placed the seal of his opposition upon it. Now, under the new Democratic manner of deciding upon canal claims the parties interested in this bill propose to put their luck once more to the test and see if the easy virtue of the present appraisers is open to corruption. Fortunately, the Republicans were mindful of the danger, and this morning six bills of this character were destroyed. But it is time that the people should know the danger that threatens their Treasury. These bills are now dead, but not so dead that they cannot be resurrected. As the session closes in, and the hurry of approaching departure removes the guards of legislation, they will slip through one by one, by a compromise of members interested. The Press must demand economy in this branch of expenditure, and until they do, the fortunes of the canal rates, as they are properly called, will grow. Reform is necessary in the City of New-York. Reform is no less necessary in the State of New-York. Now that we have the power, let the Republicans of the House see to it that our record upon this question is good. S.

THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Important Steps Taken by the Republican Legislators to Defeat the Tammany Schemes.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 13.—The Republicans of both Houses of the Legislature held a caucus this morning, and after a short discussion, in which considerable spirit was manifested, unanimously adopted the following resolutions, to which they have appended and signed the subjoined declaration:

Resolved, That we repeat the following bills now pending in the Legislature, as parties for votes, viz.: The bill known as the Two per Cent. Tax Levy Bill; the bill to amend the Registry law of the City of New-York; the bill amendatory of the Charter of the City of New-York; the bill amendatory of the Charter of the City of Buffalo; and the Police bill of Buffalo. And that no Republican can, consistently with his party obligation, support either.

Resolved, That in case any member of the party shall vote for any of the measures mentioned in the preceding resolutions we will report it at our party in Albany, and we will do all in our power to effectually punish such desertion as a traitor to the party, in a writing to be signed by us and published in the Albany papers.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to abide by the foregoing resolutions, and do hereby pledge ourselves severally, as members of the Republican Party, to support the same:

Wm. W. Seaboldt, Kings.	Henry B. Dutton, Wayne.
T. G. Alvord, Onondaga.	F. F. Cady, Columbia.
J. H. Selkreg, Tompkins.	C. V. B. Bates, Cattaraugus.
D. L. Fisk, Madison.	Wm. Wheeler, Essex.
D. C. Littlejohn, Orange.	M. Wade, Fulton and Hamilton.
L. R. Sanborn, Niagara.	
C. H. Delano, Erie.	Jas. H. Pierce, Franklin.
Jas. R. Pond, Niagara.	George P. Lord, Yates.
R. C. Kenyon, Chenango.	Jas. Jay Hayes, Monroe.
M. A. Benson, Chautauqua.	T. Stevenson, Washington.
F. A. Alberger, Erie.	Jas. A. Seward, Dutchess.
G. S. Wheaton, Chautauqua.	C. S. Sage, Oneida.
C. Goodrich, Schoharie.	Wm. Whitlock, St. Lawrence.
D. S. Lynde, St. Lawrence.	
V. P. Brown, Monroe.	Isaac N. Baker, Jr., Westchester.
A. C. Ramsay, Steuben.	
W. G. Knapp, Genesee.	J. H. Graham, Delaware.
Geo. Bullard, Chemung.	L. R. Fenton, Cattaraugus.
J. W. Hill, Saratoga.	D. Kilham, Monroe.
John Berry, Orleans.	D. E. Wilcox, Ontario.
R. H. Mallory, Dutchess.	O. C. Wyman, Jefferson.
J. S. Kenyon, Chenango.	Hiram Putnam, Livingston.
A. E. Stanchfield, Chenango.	Jas. Johnson, Livingston.
C. N. Flanagan, Allegany.	Jas. W. Husted, Westchester.
Geo. H. Gladstone, St. Lawrence.	
P. Burns, Onondaga.	R. B. Signall, Tioga.
W. Wagner, Montgomery.	G. Hilton Scribner, Westchester.
W. D. Sandickie, Albany.	R. C. Blackall, Albany.
Jas. Mosher, Schenectady.	C. M. Wesley, Ulster.
G. W. Chadwick, Oneida.	A. S. Wood, Wayne.
J. Lee Tucker, Otsego.	G. Sniper, Onondaga.
Isaac H. Strahan, Orange.	S. A. Bunce, Oneida.
D. C. Gilbert, Rensselaer.	Cyrus Burhans, Ulster.
Isaac McDougal, Oneida.	

SENATORS.

M. Window, 18th District.	L. L. Lewis, 21st Dist.
A. K. Parker, 17th Dist.	Jas. Wood, 30th Dist.
Geo. R. Kennedy, 22d Dist.	Geo. Bowen, 26th Dist.
Wm. H. Brand, 31st Dist.	C. L. Miner, 27th Dist.
A. B. Rivers, 24th Dist.	G. W. Chapman, 24th Dist.
A. D. Scott, 23d Dist.	A. V. Harpending, 29th Dist.
W. H. Woodin, 25th Dist.	F. S. Thayer, 12th Dist.

THE DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

Extraordinary Method of Legislation Adopted by Tweed's Followers—How to Get a Dishonest Majority.

ALBANY, April 13.—The Democratic members of the Assembly met in caucus to-night, Mr. FREAR in the chair.

Mr. FIELDS stated he had a bill which he proposed to submit to the caucus, providing for a special election to fill the vacancy from the Sixteenth District of New-York, caused by the resignation of JAMES IRVING.

The proceedings of the Republican caucus were read on the call of Mr. JACOBS, who then spoke at length in denunciation of the action of the Republicans, and advocated Mr. FIELDS' proposition for a special election.

Some discussion ensued as to the authority to pass the bill, and it was generally conceded the Legislature had the authority.

It was then resolved to introduce the bill to-morrow, and to use all parliamentary means to pass it. The bill is as follows:

An act to provide for a special election to fill the vacancy in the Sixteenth District of the County of New-York, caused by the resignation of JAMES IRVING.

The People of the State of New-York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SEC. 1. An election shall forthwith be held in the Sixteenth Assembly District of the County of New-York to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of JAMES IRVING. The Secretary of State shall immediately direct the Sheriff of the City and County of New-York to give notice and fix the day on which such election shall take place, which shall not exceed five days after he shall have been so directed by the Secretary of State.

SEC. 2. The said election shall take place on the day so fixed by said Sheriff, and shall be held under the direction of the Inspectors and canvassers for said district, duly elected or appointed. Immediately upon the closing of the polls, the several canvassers shall proceed to canvass the votes received at said election and make return thereof to the County Clerk of said county, and he shall forthwith transmit the said canvass and return to the Secretary of State. On the receipt of such canvass and return the Secretary of State shall forthwith proceed to ascertain who has received the greatest number of votes at such special election, and shall issue a certificate setting forth the fact of the election of the person who have received the greatest number of votes, and shall transmit the same to the Speaker of the Assembly, and the person so elected shall take the oath of office as required by law.

SEC. 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed, so far as the same apply to the special election herein provided for.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

Mr. FIELDS, from a committee, was appointed to wait on the Democratic Senate caucus, and returning reported that the Senators unanimously approved of the course adopted by this caucus. The caucus then adjourned.

On the adjournment of the Senate the Democratic members were called to meet in caucus by Senator TWEED, and the Chamber was cleared of all who were not Democratic Senators, and the doors closed. But they subsequently adjourned to the Executive Chamber, where a lengthy consultation was had with the Governor, Attorney-General, and other State officers. Nothing was made public of any resolution on the part of this caucus beyond the announcement made by Mr. FIELDS to the Democratic Assembly caucus on his return to it, to the effect that the Senators unanimously approved of the action of the Assembly caucus, as also did the State officers.

The greatest excitement prevailed throughout the Capital during the whole evening. The large hall was crowded with people anxiously discussing the matter. It was emphatically declared on the part of the Democratic members that no business should be done until the Republican members reconsider their action and cancel their resolution. They will present their bill for a special election in the Sixteenth Assembly District of New-York immediately on assembling in the morning, and will then make an effort to put the bill forward to a speedy passage, and, failing in this, will vote steadily against each and every measure pending.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE....ALBANY, Thursday, April 13.

The Senate passed a lot of miscellaneous bills and went into Executive Session, afterward adjourning until evening.

EVENING SESSION.

AN EXCITING DEBATE.

The Senate went into Committee on the special order, the bill levying a tax of —— mills per dollar for extraordinary canal repairs and for new work, and several amendments were offered, when Mr. TWEED moved to rise and report progress upon the bill, and ask leave to sit again. He said: I made the motion for the purpose of making another motion when we get into the Senate. I see by the *Evening Journal* that our friends on the other side have decided that we shall do no more business here until certain matters are fixed to their satisfaction. In view of that decision on their part, we, the Democrats, have made up our minds that until we know whether legislation is going to be impeded by the united action of the gentlemen upon the other side, we do not care to pass this or any other bill. Therefore we propose to adjourn, in order that we may get together to decide what course of action it is best for us to pursue under the circumstances.

The motion was carried by a vote of 18 to 11.

The Chairman of the Committee reported progress on the bill, and the President resumed the chair.

Mr. HUBBARD—Unless the Senator from the Fourteenth desires to make that motion, I desire to move that the Senate disagree with the report of the Committee and that the bill be ordered to a third reading.

Mr. KENNEDY—O, that is not fair. There are other gentlemen here who desire to offer amendments.

Mr. HUBBARD—I withdraw the motion. I was out of the Chamber, and did not understand what was going on.

Mr. HARDENBURGH—I move to disagree with the report of the Committee and to order the bill to a third reading.

Mr. BRADLEY—Don't do that.

Mr. TWEED—I would not do it.

SEVERAL REPUBLICAN SENATORS—Don't, don't press that motion.

Mr. HARDENBURGH—I withdraw the motion. My friends on both sides (and I have friends on both sides) require me to withdraw it, and I do so.

Mr. LORD—I renew the motion. I propose to proceed with legislation until we adjourn finally, notwithstanding the *Evening Journal*, or any other Republican paper, or any Republican. I care not what they say or what they do. I propose to stay here and put the Republicans of this Legislature on record.

Mr. KENNEDY—And we propose to stand by you in that.

Mr. WOODIN—I hope that the Senator from the Twenty-eighth will not insist upon his motion, because there are several amendments yet to be offered, two of which have been drawn or recommended by the Canal Commissioners.

Mr. LORD—There will be no objection to putting in any amendment on the third reading of the bill.

Mr. WOODIN—The Senator can answer for himself as to that, but not for others. I have not yet had an opportunity to offer these amendments. The Senator from the Twenty-eighth says he proposes to stand here as a Democrat, and go on with legislation. I propose to stand here with him, not as a Democrat, not as a Republican, but as a Senator, and to do my duty.

Mr. GERRY—Did you see a letter from the Twenty-fifth (Mr. WOODIN) whether the *Evening Journal* published documents with his name signed to them without his consent?

Mr. WOODIN—I never gave my consent to publish anything.

Mr. GERRY—Did you attach your name to the resolution which they published this evening?

Mr. WOODIN—I did attach my name to the resolution which you have seen published, but I had no idea of seeing it published.

Mr. TWEED then spoke at length on the action of the Republican caucus, characterizing the decision to regard certain bills as political, and to be opposed on that ground, as an unheard of proceeding. He said it is in order that the Democrats of this Legislature may reflect and consult calmly, in order that they may not be blinded by passion or prejudice. That we propose to adjourn now. We propose to meet these gentlemen half way. Let us sit down at once and consider what course we ought to pursue.

Mr. LAWS—Mr. President, I am surprised at this temper. Being somewhat of a novice in political life, I do not understand what the trouble is or why our distinguished friends upon the other side are excited over this matter.

Mr. TWEED—We are not excited at all.

Mr. LAWS resumed, and, in a long speech, defended the action of the caucus.

Mr. TWEED then moved an adjournment.

Mr. PARKER—If the Senator will withdraw his motion—

Mr. TWEED—I cannot withdraw it.

Several Senators demanded yeas and nays, and the Clerk proceeded to call the roll. When the name of Mr. PARKER was called, he asked to be excused from voting, and said that the Senator from the Fourth says the Republican members have refused to consider certain bills, or to have anything to do with them. I think he says that without serious consideration. I suppose the Senator refers to the resolutions signed by the Republican members of the Legislature and published this evening. No, gentlemen, this is our business. If we, as Republicans, consider that you present bills, and try as a party to pass them, we have a right, which is always exercised by all parties, to say that we regard them as party measures. Not that we will take any factious action in regard to them; not that we refuse to sit and consider them, but that we consider them party measures, and that we will not support them. I withdraw my request to be excused, and vote no.

The motion to adjourn was carried by the following vote, and accordingly the Senate adjourned till 10 A. M. Friday.

YEAS—Messrs. Banks, Bradley, Cauldwell, Creamer, Frost, Genet, Graham, Hardenburg, Hubbard, Lewis, Morgan, C. E. Morton, M. Morton, Pierce, Sanford, Tweed.

NAYS—Messrs. Bowen, Brand, Chapman, Elwood, Harpending, Kennedy, Lord, Miner, Parker, Scott, Thayer, Winslow, Woodin. Yeas 16, nays 13.

ASSEMBLY.

PASSAGE OF THE SUPPLY BILL.

After the transaction of much routine business, the third reading of the Supply bill was announced, and the bill was read and passed—yeas 97, nays 23—as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Aitken, Banker, Bartlett, Bayha, Bennett, Blair, J. Brown, Buck, Buckley, D. Burns, Campbell, Carey, Chamberlain, Chambers, Cole, Conkling, Cook, Cornelius, Coyle, Decker, Drew, Fields, Flagg, Flanagan, Flecker, Frear, Fuller, Griffin, Haver, Hayes, D. B. Hill, Howe, Howell, Jacobs, Jay, Kelly, Krack, G. D. Lord, Loutrel, Madigan, Monteverde, Mosley, Mulhall, Murphy, Nachtmann, Nelson, Nicholson, Oakley, O'Brien, O'Neil, Randall, Ransom, Ray, Roche, Speaker, Sweet, Ten Eyck, Van Steenburgh, Wainwright, Waterbury, Weed, Wiley—Democrats—84.

NAYS—Messrs. Albergar, Alvord, Barney, Berry, Bignall, Bolt, V. P. Brown, Bunce, P. Burns, Cady, Chadwick, Durfee, Fisk, C. N. Flanagin, Gifford, Gleason, Goodrich, Graham, Hewitt, J. W. Hill, R. Johnson, Knapp, G. F. Lord, Lyndle, Norcup, Pabst, Pound, Prince, Sage, Stevenson, Strahan, Tucker, Wade, Wooley, Wyman—Republicans—35.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Mr. NACHTMAN introduced a bill relative to the New-York Bible Society, providing that life members may vote by proxy.

The bill to incorporate the New-York Real Estate Loan and Bank Company, vetoed yesterday the Governor, and referred to the Judiciary Committee, was reported, with the recommendation that the veto be sustained and the bill rejected, which was done by the House.

Recess till 7½ P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

Immediately after the Speaker called the House to order, Mr. FIELDS, of New-York, rose and said:

Mr. SPEAKER: I rise to a question of privilege. For the first time in the history of the Legislature of this State, there is an attempt on the part of a minority of the representatives in the House to block the wheels of legislation; and I desire to say to these gentlemen that while I recognize the possibilities of the extreme action which they have taken, I doubt very much whether they are to gain by the accident which places them in a position to prevent the passage of bills in this House. I see, Sir, by the public Press that they have held a caucus and have decreed that certain bills shall not be passed by the Assembly. Sir, I am not unmindful of the fact that but a few nights ago, in the heat of their excitement, perhaps, when their manhood rose above party lines, they said "do justice in this case." I refer to the difficulties between Messrs. IRVING and WEED. No hair of your heads as a party shall be injured. The excitement has scarcely passed away, when we see this party so magnificently liberal then, now arrayed, crowded in its ranks, planted to block the wheels of legislation. Sir, I desire to say to these gentlemen that I stand here as one of the representatives of the great State of New-York, but while I hold that position, I recognize the fealty which I owe to my party. Sir, my experience in public life, passing back for twenty years, has taught me that all public positions have in a greater or less degree relations to party. Sir, I charge here, openly and above board, that this magnificent and liberal minority told me and told others that if justice should be made to fall upon one belonging to our party nothing should happen to prejudice the interests of that party. Sir, I ask the public Press of this city freely acknowledging the pledge made by these gentlemen, and tantalizing them by asking them if they dare to carry out the obligations they have entered into, that the minority of this House have now in secret, in secret conclave, and have decreed that certain local bills now before the Legislature shall not pass. One of these is the bill in relation to the Metropolitan City Charter—a bill, Sir, in which every member of the delegation from the County of Erie, with the exception of one, is in favor of. But, Sir, because these gentlemen imagine that there is looking forward with full assurance that chance for success a party advantage to defeat us, in the exercise of the high privileges of this House, in dignity and propriety, we, as the majority of this House, have suffered by one of the members of the majority resigning, and the minority, under the whip and spur of party discipline, have called their forces together and decreed that no bill except such as they may designate shall pass this House. I repeat, they must take the responsibility. I appeal to the judgment of the people of this State; I appeal to the judgment, not only of those who are associated with me in the same party, but to the members of the opposition. Mr. FIELDS after wasting many words of no import, closed by announcing that he would move that this House do now adjourn until 9½ o'clock to-morrow morning. The motion was carried, and the House adjourned until 9½ to-morrow morning.

POLITICAL REFORM.

Meeting of the New-York Council, Union League of America—Sharp Talk About the Ring and the Press—Reforming Primary Elections.

At a meeting, last night, of the New-York Council, Union League Association, D. B. MCLEAN presiding, and a full attendance, eighteen new members were added to the rolls.

The Committee on the state of the Union reported a plan for reforming the enrollment and voting at primary elections. We have not space for the full report, but its chief points were: To enroll only proved Republicans who shall sign formal applications to be filed as checks when they come to vote; to enroll by street numbers classified in numerical order as well as alphabetically; to require every member to bring proper vouchers for his right to be enrolled; to have the lists thoroughly revised, and printed; to compel a member on voting at the primary election to write his name and address on a slip of paper, to compare, if necessary, with his signature on re-enrollment; to refer names to subcommittees in each election district, who shall report whether the names enrolled are of actual voting residents; to guard against crowding the voting-places by unauthorized persons, or even members; in short, to use every possible and reasonable precaution to obtain a full and honest enrollment in every section of the City, and to secure also a strictly fair election. If this plan can be carried out, it must necessarily produce these desirable results. The report was adopted without dissent.

THE RING AND THE PRESS.

Mr. F. J. OTTARSON proposed the following resolutions, which were received with loud applause and adopted by acclamation:

Whereas, The Democratic Party in this City and State no longer exists except in name, its functions having been usurped by a self-elected band of robbers known as the Tammany Ring; and,

Whereas, The unscrupulous leaders of that Ring, seeking only the individual profit of themselves and their chosen friends, to secure which they ignore all party ties, and draw their voting and working forces like from the venal and corrupt of all parties and of no party; and,

Whereas, Their mode of making laws for their sole benefit is based on the simple plan of purchasing the votes necessary to pass such laws due form and show of legal indorsement; and,

Whereas, By the natural ruffianism of one of their chosen champions they are now powerless to enact any law in the State Assembly without the aid of one or more Republican votes; and,

Resolved, That we urge upon every Republican Assemblyman to sternly use the power now in his hands of checking the rapacity of the Ring, thus saving millions to the overburdened tax-payers of this City and State.

Resolved, That any Republican who votes for any of the plundering schemes of the Ring—more especially the Two per Cent Tax bill, the bill to repeal or essentially destroy the Registry law, or the bill to change the day of State elections, will not only commit a grave party crime, but will incur a responsibility of infamy which should be followed by political and social disgrace scarcely less than that done to the crime of high treason; and,

Whereas, With very few honorable exceptions, the newspapers of this City are both purchased and the minds of their editors indirectly subsidized by the Ring, a large number of them existing only on the money drawn from the City Treasury for a mere pretense of publishing proceedings and documents that have long before passed beyond any possible interest for the public.

Resolved, That with a Press thus muzzled and wearing the badge of servitude to the Ring—a Press either boldly defending the rascals, or quietly ignoring their doings—the people are practically prevented from expressing their opposition to great evils, and the rights of free speech, subject to abuse only in the very organs that boast most loudly of being the guardians of liberty and virtue.

Resolved, That it is the duty of every opponent of the Ring to refuse to support, by advertising or purchasing, the subsidized Press of this City; and that it should be their pride to transfer their patronage to those papers that have neither sold their opinion for favors, nor suppressed them from timidity.

THE MOVEMENT FOR CITY REFORM.

Mr. N. APPLETON offered the following, which were adopted:

Resolved, That we approve of and heartily indorse the intention and action of the New-York City Council of Political Reform, and welcome them as valuable auxiliaries in our endeavors to arouse the thinking public to a sense of their duty.

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this Council that, with properly-organized action, and the general support of those men who have withdrawn themselves from the political arena for some years past, we can successfully oppose, and ultimately overthrow, the Tammany Ring of this City.

DELEGATES TO THE STATE COUNCIL.

Twenty-one delegates (one from each Assembly District) were chosen to the New-York State Council.

After some less important business the Council adjourned to the fourth Thursday of the month.

The Value of Diamonds.

The question is often asked, "Why are diamonds so costly? Why are they so highly prized?" This may be answered somewhat in the same way as when we determine the reasons for the high value placed on gold and silver, yet gold is esteemed rather from fashion than from any real beauty. Artistic effects can be produced in copper conveying even warmer and richer tints to the eye, and quicksilver, from its mobility, produces a brilliancy of color surpassing that of silver. Its value depends, however, on its comparative scarcity, but above all on its durability. The diamond, the most costly of all substances, has intrinsic beauties of its own. It has a limpidity, a brilliancy, a fire appertaining to itself, but, above all, an absolute indestructibility, far surpassing that of any known product, which gives the additional reason for its enhanced value. The first diamond taken from the bed of the Indian torrent, cut centuries ago, has not lost an atom of its weight nor has a spark of its brilliant fire been dimmed. Though it has passed through millions of hands, it shows no trace of wear; it has been subjected to all temperatures and climates, and its shining lustre has never paled. This indestructibility has then made it inestimable as a standard of value. A thousand years ago it had its price, and a thousand years to come it must remain unchanged in form and lustre, and still be an object of worth. Standards of coin may vary, land may augment or diminish in cost, but the diamond, from its beauty, its rarity, and its lasting power, increases in value with every year of its age. In looking over the magnificent collection of diamonds at Messrs. SARAH S. MARCUS' of No. 22 John-street, (up stairs,) we were attracted by a solitaire, a star in a galaxy of other lights, which we were told was probably of Indian origin, and that it might have glittered in the turban of some Rajah, escaping time's corroding tooth, and coming down to us as absolutely perfect and as brilliant as when it first flashed in the sun.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

The Rights of Theatre Managers and the Rights of the Public—A Mandamus for Edwin Booth.

Mr. COUDERT, of the firm of COUDERT BROTHERS, appeared before Judge BRADY, in Supreme Court Chambers, yesterday, and moved for an alternative mandamus against EDWIN BOOTH, at suit of PAUL F. NICHOLSON and AUGUSTUS F. CAZERAN. The affidavits on which the motion was made disclose the following state of facts: Mr. NICHOLSON is the proprietor, and Mr. CAZERAN the dramatic critic of a paper called *The Season*, in which a criticism of one Mr. BOOTH's performances, unfavorable in its tenor, recently appeared. On the Saturday following the publication of this criticism both gentlemen appeared at the box-office, but were refused tickets of admission, though offering to pay for the same. On a subsequent occasion they presented themselves at the entrance with tickets of admission, but were refused admission by the door-keeper, who, with the ticket-seller, it is charged, was acting under instructions of Mr. BOOTH. Messrs. NICHOLSON and CAZERAN claim that, Booth's Theatre being a licensed place of public amusement, they had a right to enter on paying the admission price and conducting themselves in an orderly manner, and that the criticism complained of was fair.

Judge BRADY granted the motion making the order returnable on Monday week.

Burned Alive—A Terrible Death.

EUNICE TULLY, a young woman eighteen years of age, met a terrible death by burning a few days since, at Flemington, N. J. She was at the house of a gentleman, HARVEY BARTLES, and the family being absent she went into an adjoining field, where two sons of Mr. BARTLES were gathering brush. She kindled the fire in one of the heaps, and in so doing, set fire to her clothes. The fire was smothered out, and she started toward the house, when smoke was seen issuing from her clothing again, and one of the young men running to her assistance, it was as they supposed, entirely out, and she entered the house. Ten minutes afterward she rushed out enveloped in flames and screaming for assistance. She ran so wildly in the wind that before any assistance could be rendered, she had fallen down exhausted and so fearfully burned that death resulted in a few hours.

POSTSCRIPT.

TIMES OFFICE, APRIL 14—4 A. M.

FRANCE.

The Party of Conciliation Return from Versailles.

Proposed Destruction of the Column in the Place Vendome.

An Attack by the Versailles Army Expected.

THE TROUBLE IN PARIS.

Return of the Committee of Conciliation—The Government Plots Converted Into Sports—Vandalism by the Commune—An Attack Anticipated.

PARIS, April 13, Noon—via LONDON, Midnight.—The delegates of the party of conciliation have returned from Versailles. They are silent as to the details of their negotiations with the Thiers Government, and nothing will be made known until the full report of their mission is completed.

The plate seized in the Bureau of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is being converted into specie.

The Commune, considering the column in the Place Vendome a barbarous monument, a symbol of brute force and false glory, and a negation of fraternity, have decreed its demolition.

The *Mot de Ordre* claims that the Nationals now occupy the whole of Neuilly, and expects that a general attack will be made to-night by the Army of Versailles.

VERSAILLES, April 13.—The Paris and Orleans Railway has not been cut, as was reported by the insurgents.

THE WEATHER.

The Very Latest Observations.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14—1:20 A. M.—The barometer stands somewhat higher on the Lakes than it did on Wednesday night, with a general tendency to rise, accompanied by clear weather. The pressure continues to fall, with cloudy weather in the Southern States and fresh south-west winds in the State of Louisiana. Partially cloudy and clearing weather have prevailed in the Eastern States. Light rains have been reported in the Central Mississippi Valley.

PROBABILITIES.

It is probable that cloudy and threatening weather will continue in the Mississippi Valley, partially cloudy and clear weather on the Lakes, and Eastern Atlantic coast.

LECTURES LAST EVENING.

The Medico-Legal Society—Rights, Sphere and Obligations of Medical Experts.

The regular monthly meeting of the Medico-Legal Society was held last evening at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Dr. STEPHEN ROGERS presiding.

Dr. J. J. O'DEA read a paper on the rights, sphere and obligations of medical experts. He commenced by briefly reviewing the works of medical jurisprudence from the year 1523 to the present period. The right to testify on medical matters in courts of law in Germany was first restricted to surgeons, but at the Nuremberg Diet it was permitted to give evidence. Dr. O'DEA then drew a distinction between a medical witness and a medical expert, the latter being a man who makes a specialty of any given subject. The lecturer advocated the right of a medical expert to compensation for his labor and opinions, and censured the practice of a portion of the Bar of soliciting a waiver of compensation to the medical witness when under cross-examination, the remedy for which was to be found in the mutual intercourse of the two professions.

Dr. O'DEA next alluded to the defects in the system of education in the department of medical jurisprudence, and asserted that ninety-five per cent. of the young medical men had no practical knowledge of legal medicine, the theoretical knowledge of the science, and that they were not capable of making an autopsy or of applying the lectures they had heard in the lecture-room. They wanted a real, practical school of physic, a school of legal medicine, and chairs for medical jurisprudence.

Liberty and the Catholic Church—Lecture by T. W. M. Marshall.

A lecture was delivered, last evening, at Cooper Institute, by Mr. T. W. M. MARSHALL, on "Liberty and the Catholic Church." He defined liberty both as regards its spiritual and political aspects, and said Greeks and Spartans had aspired to liberty, but yet they were the slaves to political power. Romans, masters of the ancient world, deceived themselves about liberty, and so did we. When the supremacy of the Pope was shaken off by the Protestants at the Reformation, no real liberty remained. Germany, Russia, and England, at times called the cradles of liberty—then became slaves. Before the Reformation England possessed liberty, a liberty which was imbued by monastic instruction. The true spirit of all freedom might be traced to the independent power of the Church of Rome. The proceeds of this lecture are to be handed to the Society of Vincent de Paul for the Poor Boys' Lodging Fund.

A Bonaparte Among Us—Arrival of Col. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte.

Col. JEROME NAPOLEON BONAPARTE arrived in this City yesterday by the *Cuba*. He came direct from Paris, and on his landing here drove to the New-York Hotel, where he made his quarters for the night. He is the grandson of JEROME BONAPARTE, (brother of the first NAPOLEON,) and of Mrs. PATTERSON, of Baltimore, who married JEROME BONAPARTE in December, 1803. His father, named JEROME also, married Mrs. WILLIAMS, daughter of BENJAMIN WILLIAMS, Esq., of Roxbury, Mass. The Colonel was born in Baltimore in 1832, and graduated high in his class at West Point in 1852. He remained but a short time in the American Army, for having visited France with his father, he attracted the favorable notice of NAPOLEON III, and resigning his commission in the service of the United States, entered that of the French as Sub-Lieutenant in the army. He took part in the operations of the French and English Allies in the Crimea, and served at the siege of Sebastopol, in Gen. BOSQUET's division. For his conduct, which was considered gallant and meritorious, he received a decoration from the Sultan. The refusal of Pope PIUS VII, to confirm the order of NAPOLEON I. declaring the American marriage null and void, is still maintained by the Papal Court, and accordingly Col. JEROME BONAPARTE, who is an American citizen by birth, is next to the Prince Imperial, the senior representative of the BONAPARTE family. The appearance of the Colonel is handsome and martial. He is tall and rather slender, in apparent good health, notwithstanding many privations which he had necessarily to endure recently during the terrible war which has just been brought to a close. He has perfect confidence in the restoration of the Napoleonic dynasty and believes that the civil strife in France will soon end. The Colonel visited a few personal friends last evening, and left this morning by the first train to visit his relatives in Baltimore.

Various Phases of Crime.

About 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, MICHAEL GRUBBERT, of No. 255 Third-street, and the German band of which he is leader, were playing the national air "The Watch on the R

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The most important auction held at the Exchange yesterday (April 13th,) and in fact the only one of the day attended with a full share of success, was that conducted by A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., embracing the sale of property belonging to the Purdy estate, sold by order of the Supreme Court, in partition, under the direction of PHILO T. RUGGLES, Esq., referee. Full particulars, with names of purchasers and other details, will be found below in the summary of the day appended. Most of the real estate brought good prices, the aggregate receipts amounting to $414,475. The only other sales effected were by MULLER, WILKINS & CO., who, by order of the Ocean National Bank, sold thirteen building lots, seven of them situated on the Seventh-avenue Boulevard, between One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets, and the others in the rear of the same, three each on the streets named. For the particulars as to this transaction, reference is also made to the re-capitulation below.

The following property was offered and sold as follows received, but not sold, by E. H. LUDLOW & CO.: Three-story and basement high-stoop brick house and lot, No. 9 West Thirteenth-street, south side, 18 feet west of Fifth-avenue; lot 20 feet by about 96 feet; $23,000, with drawers; four-story English-basement brown-stone house and lot No. 461 West Twenty-fourth-street, north side, 25 feet 4 inches east of Tenth-avenue; lot 16.6 by 92.9 feet; bid $70,000, with drawers; and the three-story and basement Eighteenth-street brick house and lot known as No. 208 Bloomfield-street, Hoboken, N. J., between Sixth and Seventh streets, lot 25 by 100. Bids $12,000; also twenty-two. By MULLER, WILKINS & CO.: Four-story high-stoop brick house and lot No. 221 West Thirty-eighth-street, north side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, lot 20.7 by 98.9; sale by order of executors of M. J. SCHLEMMER, deceased, nominally sold to BEJ. CHANDLER for $30,500. Four-story high-stoop brown-stone house and lot No. 419 West Forty-second-street, north side, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, lot 18.9 by 100.5, nominally sold to JAMES GRAHAM for $25,500, and the four-story and attic brick house and lot No. 32 Pearl-street, south side, 117 feet 8 inches east of Coenties-slip, lot 25 by about 124, nominally sold to THEODORE BOSSES for $32,000. A similar store and lot, 25.1 by about 124, on the same side, adjoining above, was withdrawn. By A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., two lots, each 25 by 100.5, on the north side of Sixty-fourth street, 425 feet west of Tenth-avenue, nominally sold to N. GOLDSMITH for $2,300 each. Two similar lots on the north side of One Hundred and Forty-second-street, 425 feet west of the Grand Boulevard, adjoining, sold to Mr. BLEECKER, were bid off for Jacob P. Taylor. By J. J. TRAVERS, three-story and basement brick high-stoop brick house and lot, on the north side of One Hundred and Fourteenth-street, between Third and Fourth avenues, lot 18.8x100.11, nominally sold to WM. H. COFFIN for $9,000, and by same auctioneer a three-story and basement brick house and lot known as No. 68 Washington-avenue, Brooklyn, between Myrtle and Park avenues, lot 20 by 100, nominally sold for $4,300. Mortgage for $4,000.

The only other business transacted, yesterday, at the Exchange, aside from some stock sales by R. H. NICOLAY, was an assignee's sale in bankruptcy, under the direction of W. W. SEARS, Esq., referee, conducted by S. DUGAN & CO., at which the assets of Dr. R. L. HAMILTON, a bankrupt, were disposed of. The assets consisted of three promissory notes, twenty shares of the Gettysburg Railroad Company, and an interest in a note held by one F. a number of farms at Gettysburg, Penn., the farms ranging in size from 10 to 135 acres each. The entire lot, sold in three parcels, realized only $61; sold respectively to G. Y. PAYNE, G. STREMMER, and A. BARRY. The attendance at the Exchange yesterday was large.

At the Commercial Exchange, in Brooklyn, by order of the assignee in bankruptcy of J. Lautman, an unexpired term of no interest, no matter of the usual secondary effected were of a bona fide character. Property was offered by J. COLE, but only nominally sold, as follows: Four-story brick store and lot No. 52 Myrtle-avenue, south side, 14 feet west of Navy-street, lot 22.6 by 97, occupied by J. McQUADE, as tenant; three-story frame store and lot No. 244 Myrtle-avenue, south side, 22 feet west of Schenck-street, lot 25 by 100, nominal purchaser Mr. DUFFY, at $6,200.

Today several sales of desirable City property will be attempted at the Exchange, and it is to be hoped with more favorable results than has been the usual case, as a rule, thus far during the week. Notice of the sales to be made by A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO. and FARMS M. MILLER, will worthy the attention of investors.

Exchange Sales, Thursday, April 13.

NEW-YORK.

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co.

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By Muller, Wilkins & Co.

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CITY REAL ESTATE.

MONEY TO LOAN ON BOND AND mortgage on approved first-class real estate in this City or Brooklyn. No bonus required. FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, No. 100 Broadway. Refer by permission to: Brown Brothers & Co., Wm. E. Dodge, Esq.

GREAT PREMIUM LAND SALE. Shares still to be had. All those who have not already invested should address, for full particulars, J. C. HERBY, No. 177 Broadway, New-York, or Augusta, Ga. Fifteen dollars obtains a premium at once, and may also secure a fortune, home, or villa-site in the great distribution of $50,000.

S. VAN RENSSELAER CRUGER, REAL ESTATE AGENT, No. 162 GRAND-ST. The management of estates a specialty. Rents, interest and dividends collected.

WARD & OGDEN, BROADWAY, CORNER 17TH-ST., UNION-SQUARE. The place for bargains in brown-stone houses, from $12,000 to $100,000, in first-class locations.

SPECIAL NOTICE—FOR THE ACCOMmodation of the up-town public, and to facilitate the renting and sale of real estate, we have opened a branch of our Pine-st. office at No. 33 East 17th-st. (Union-square), between Broadway and 4th-av., where any information in relation to the sale, renting or purchase of houses, stores, and lots may be obtained on and after this date. ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. New-York, April 13, 1871.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A VERY desirable three-story and basement brick-stoop house in West 53d-st., near 6th-av., nearly new, worth $30,000; will receive in part payment a desirable country place, near the City, worth $12,000 to $15,000; or will let to a responsible tenant. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—A VALUABLE LEASEHOLD property on Broadway, near Stewart's up-town store; lot 100 feet deep; ground rent, five terms, twenty years, at $3,200 per annum; sold subject to tenancy, which will have two or three years to run. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Pine-st.

THIRTY-FOURTH-STREET.—WE offer in this street, near Madison-av., a desirable four-story brown-stone high-stoop house, over 24 feet wide; also, a stable with the house. FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, No. 100 Broadway.

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE PLOT OF THIRTEEN lots, fronting on Boulevard (200) at addition, adjoining Mr. BLEECKER'S, and 1110-av., south side 28th-st. Terms liberal. Apply to ABNER L. ELY, No. 22 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL FOUR-STORY and basement brown-stone house, in 4th-st., near 5th-av., with elegant furniture, if desired. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st., or Branch Office, No. 33 East 17th-st., Union-square.

A.—BETWEEN CENTRAL PARK and Grand Boulevard, on a 100 foot graded street, six full lots for sale low; 100th-st., good present and prospective value; fine building site; terms easy. V. E. STEVENSON & SON, No. 11 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—AN EXTRA LARGE FOUR-story brown-stone house in 26th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.; house 20x60; lot half the block; very well built; price $40,000. Apply to ISAACS, PLATT, No. 165 Broadway, cor. Cortlandt-st.

A 20-AV. CORNER, 100 FEET SQUARE, on the fashionable side of the avenue, improvements cheap for cash. JOHN B. GRAFF, No. 239 Broadway, Room No. 13.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

A VALUABLE PLOT OF GROUND FOR sale on Broadway, below Bleecker-st., running through to Mercer-st. Also, to lessees, Broadway when shortly completed, a first-class store, cellar, etc. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st., or Branch Office, No. 33 East 17th-st., Union-square.

A VERY FINE HOUSE ON WEST 3D-st., near 5th-av., for sale low; four stories, walnut finish, first-class in every respect. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st., or branch office, No. 33 East 17th-st., Union-square.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

REAL ESTATE ON A SECURE BASIS. AN EIGHT PER CENT. INVESTMENT GUARANTEED. DRAKE BROTHERS, No. 19 Broad-st., Financial Agents of South-side Homestead Association of Chicago.

FOR SALE. At Poughkeepsie, an elegant country seat just north of the boundary line of the city, consisting of nearly twelve acres, with a large and elegant house, containing about thirty rooms, and replete with modern conveniences. Also, the property adjoining on the south, containing eight acres. Further description is unnecessary, as it is supposed any one desiring to purchase will examine the premises. Price $12,000 for house and ground adjacent. Apply to R. P. CROSBY, No. 19 Pine-st., New-York, or W. H. CHENEY, No. 201 Main-st., Poughkeepsie.

ELIZABETH, N. J. For sale—$1,000, part cash, balance can remain on mortgage, of a very desirable lot, fronting 50 feet by 100, with eight rooms, gas throughout, period 14 by 42 feet, dining-room 15 by 15, kitchen with well and cistern water, three large bedrooms and hall, second-story high-stoop, good garret and cellar; eight minutes' walk from depot. For further particulars apply to SPAULDING COOK, Elizabeth, N. J., or address HOUSE, Box No. 123 Times Office.

HUGH N. CAMP, NO. 31 PINE-ST., offers the following very desirable suburban property for sale:

Westchester County, New-York.

Pelham—House and 7 acres $28,000
Pelham—House and 3½ acres 20,000
Pelham—House and 1½ acres 20,000
Pelham—House and lot 6,500
Pelham—House and 1½ acres 15,000
Tremont—House and lot, 100x120 12,000
Tremont—House and lot, 54x120 10,000
Tremont—House and lot 8,500
Morrisania—House and lot, 175x150 21,000
Throg's Neck—House and 9 acres 25,000
Mount Vernon—Two houses and lots, 100x180, each 7,500
Port Morris—House and lot 20,000
White Plains—House and 6 acres 30,000
New Rochelle—Farm of 150 acres, per acre 500
Clifton, Staten Island—House and four acres 18,000
Bristol, R. I.—House and grounds 12,500
Deposit—Broome County—House and 5 acres 12,500
Rutherford Park, N. J.—House and lot, 345x400 22,000
Newark, N. J.—House and 30 acres 50,000
Hamden, Conn.—House and 80 acres 20,000

Also, Furnished and unfurnished houses to rent, at from $500 to $4,000, on Washington Heights, Audubon Park, Brooklyn, Flushing, Morristania, Morristown, N. J., and Bristol, R. I.

Apply to HUGH N. CAMP, No. 31 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID COUNTRY SEAT and farm in the town of Rye, Westchester County; large and elegant mansion, 60x120 feet, with about 270 acres of land; beautifully located on high ground, commanding extensive views of the Sound and surrounding country; Holidays Park; locality healthy, and easy of access many times a day by the New-York and New-Haven Railroad to Rye or Portchester, from either of which depots it is distant about four miles. Mansion contains all modern conveniences; excellent stables, large carriage-house, good barn, icehouse, graperies, greenhouse, (large brook runs through the place,) and all necessary outbuildings on the premises. Is in every respect well adapted for a gentleman and improved by the present owner at a cost of over $400,000, independent of the land; elegantly furnished, and all in fine order. Plan can be seen at the office. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE—A HANDsome villa, with six acres of ground, beautifully laid out in shrubbery, walks, etc., with inclosed glass harness cases; cow and tool house; hennery; asparagus, strawberry and forcing beds, etc.; situated between Bay Ridge and Fort Hamilton, directly opposite the Narrows; the house has 30 feet front, three feet inclosed terrace and Summer-house overlooking the Lower Bay; lease-house 22x60; conservatory and wing attached; has all the conveniences of a City residence; is a beautiful spot; cannot be found within thirty miles of New-York; accessible to Wallabout Ferry by the Bay Ridge boat, Summer and Winter, within thirty-five minutes; occupied by the proprietor, J. DICKINSON, 44 Nassau-st., New-York.

FOR SALE AT HUDSON—A BEAUTIFUL country seat and farm; 125 acres of upland, within the city limits, with river rights on the river, extending about 1,200 feet; is admirably adapted for a number of beautiful building sites. The dwelling-house is large, handsome, and in perfect order, and commands magnificent views of the Catskill Mountains, the Hudson River, and the City of Hudson. The outbuildings are numerous and also in good order. The land, naturally good, is under a high state of cultivation. The place has plenty of fruit on it and is well supplied with water. Its many striking beauties have since very much increased in value of late years. For further particulars apply to DR. G. W. H. BEDMORE, No. 22 Cedar-st., second floor, Room No. 1.

A BEAUTIFUL COTTAGE, COMBINing advantages of city and country residence, within forty minutes of New-York, by two double-track roads, 60 trains each way daily, at about stage fares; for sale or to let; house has 12 large rooms, gas, water, etc.; lot 100x200 feet, laid out in garden, lawn, fruit and shade trees, &c.; in most attractive part of Elizabeth, less than a mile from three depots; every way a desirable property and place of residence. For full particulars, apply to JAMES M. BOGERT, Jersey City, Elizabeth Depot, adjacent, or address OWNER, Post-office Box No. 225, New-York City.

AN ELEGANT RESIDENCE AT Rhinebeck, on the west bank of the Hudson River, to rent for the Summer or by the year; large stone house, very commodious and complete in its arrangements, with all modern conveniences and fully furnished; also, stocked with blooded cattle; stable, ice-house, (filled,) and all necessary out-buildings; the place is on high ground and commands extensive views, and is one of the coolest locations on the river.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE HOUSE and lot, in a thriving town on the border of a fine bay, twenty-five miles from the City; house two-story and basement, and nearly new. Lot 80x150 feet, with a variety of fruits and flowers; location unsurpassed, with beautiful view of the bay. For full particulars, call on or address the owner, GEORGE MACKEY, No. 20 John-st.

LAKE GEORGE.—FOR SALE OR TO LET. Furnished cottage, (new,) nineteen rooms, located opposite Fort Williams, Henry Hotel; has a fine view of Lake George. Apply for particulars at Lenox House, Broadway, 28th, and 29th sts., or at Lebanon Springs, Columbia County, N. Y. DANIEL GALE.

FOR SALE OR TO LET AT ASTORIA—A house, with two and a half acres of ground, situated on a high point, with good water; front door finished in hard wood; eight bedrooms; all conveniences; about ten minutes' walk from landing; the grounds are well laid out with shade and fruit trees, &c. Apply to HUGH N. CAMP, No. 31 Pine-st.

A NEW-BEDFORD, MASS.—A GENuine country seat, with modern improvements and fifty-three acres of land; the house is delightfully located, commanding an extensive view of the waters about New-Bedford. Price, $12,000. For particulars and terms apply to JACOB SHARPE, No. 30 Pine-st.

A VERY FINE COUNTRY SEAT AT Yonkers, two miles from depot, brown-stone trimmings, range, hot and cold water throughout, seven acres of land, variety of fruit, good out-buildings, fine river and inland views. BLACKWELL & MARKS, No. 55 Liberty-st.

ON HILBURN HILL, THREE MINutes from depot, one hour from City.—HAMILTON & WALLIS, No. 9 Nassau-st., offer a beautiful cottage of 8 rooms, 1½ acres; French roofed house, bath-room, laundry; excellent location; neighborhood; grounds terraced; large road frontage. Price low.

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TO LET—THE FIRST-CLASS THREE-STORY high-stoop brown-stone house, No. 325 West 51st-st., (Mansfield-place,) all modern improvements, marble hall, walnut stairs, &c. Apply to WILLIAM GRAHAM, owner, No. 32 Pine-st., Room No. 5.

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A ROST COMPLETE FOUR-STORY brick house, containing all improvements, centrally situated; capitally adapted for a large family or genteel boarding-house. W. H. FALCONER, No. 100 4th-av., near 12th-st.

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TO LET, FURNISHED—THE THREE-story high stoop, brown-stone house No. 121 West 23d-st.; to be occupied by Oct. 1. Apply to R. P. BERRIEN, No. 139 Lexington-av.

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TO LET—FURNISHED—A HIGH-STOOP brown-stone house, No. 7 West 32d-st., two doors from 5th-av. Inquire on premises.

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TO LET OR LEASE—THE STORE AND basement No. 46 Liberty-st., one door east of Broadway, adjoining Mutual Life building. F. B. ELLIOTT, No. 4 Hanover-st.

TO LET OR LEASE, NEAR BROADway, four lofts, 25x100 feet, together or separate; excellent for all kinds; rents reduced. Apply on the premises, No. 30 White-st.

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REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

BY JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 37 Nassau-st., New-York. TUESDAY, April 18, at 12 o'clock, at Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, New-York. EXECUTOR'S SALE, by order of W. Foster, Esq. Valuable house, No. 200 Lafayette-av., Brooklyn, three story, high stoop, brick basement, 22x52, containing the modern improvements; lot 25x100. WEDNESDAY, April 19, at 12 o'clock, at Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, New-York. Beautiful villa on Vernon-avenue, Ravenswood, by order of James Grant, Esq.; house 32x52, in complete order, lot 40x200; filled with fruit and shrubbery; splendid river view; terms easy. Also, at same time, valuable brick house, No. 101 Clymer-st., Brooklyn; three story, high basement and sub-cellar; 22x52, and extension 14 feet; in good order. Maps and permits, &c., at auctioneers' office.

PARTITION SALE BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT.—At public auction, at the Merchants' Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, under the direction of Wm. A. Martin, Esq., Referee, by Roberts & Ogden, Auctioneers, on the 24th April, 1871, at 12 o'clock at noon. The first-class four-story brick store, 23 feet 10 inches on Cliff-st., (known as No. 14,) communicating with No. 16 Cliff-st., and a four-story brick store, fronting 25 feet, being the entire depth from Cliff to Pearl-st. This property is in the immediate vicinity of the chief metal and steel trade of the City, and is under lease to the 1st May, 1872, at the rate of $16,000 per annum to Sampson & Brother, iron merchants, and Sanderson Brothers & Co., steel merchants. Also, The four-story brick store, 12 and 14 Cliff-st., adjoining and communicating with No. 16 Cliff-st., under lease to 1st May, 1872, at the rate of $4,500 per annum. For terms, &c., apply to the office of JOHN L. SUTHERLAND, Plaintiff's Attorney, No. 54 Wall-st. MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE PROPERTY SOUTH-EAST corner Greenwich and Fulton sts., known as the Ocean National Bank building. E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on TUESDAY, April 18, 1871, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, (Trinity Building,) New-York. The valuable four-story and basement brown-stone building, known as the Ocean National Bank, situated on the south-east corner of Greenwich and Fulton sts., covering entire lot, containing in front 34 feet 9 inches; in rear, 32 feet 8 inches; in depth, south side, 65 feet 4 inches, and on Fulton-st. 81 feet 4½ inches. The building is in good order; contains, on first floor, a large banking-room, with excellent vault, well lighted and ventilated; large basement, suitable for an insurance company, and balance of building divided into offices. Terms of sale: 50 per cent. may remain on bond and mortgage for a term of years. Maps at the auctioneers' office, No. 3 Pine-st., New-York. BENJ. P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE, BY ORDER OF THE AUCTION OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE NINETEENTH WARD OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK. Will be sold at public auction, on THURSDAY, April 20, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building, by BENJ. P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer, the very valuable and desirable property situated on the north-east corner of 84th-st. and 1st-av., consisting of two full lots of ground, with the dwelling-house and all other improvements thereon. Possession May 1, 1871. For terms of sale apply to the undersigned, RICHARD A. STORRS, Executor, Controller's Office, New Court-house. A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., Auctioneers.

FRIDAY, APRIL 14, AT 12 M., AT Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway: FIRE-PROOF STORE.—Four-story brown-stone house and lot, No. 154, between 9th and 10th sts., 25.8x140, in perfect order, and filled with the improvements, including elevator. SPLENDID HOUSES AND GROUNDS IN SOUTH BROOKLYN.—Valuable improved property on 16th-st., between 3d and 4th avs., comprising two buildings, fine grapery, fruits, &c.; seventeen rooms, and all improvements; fine shade trees in front; neighborhood unexceptionable. FOR SALE AT AUCTION, ON TUESdays.—The double two-story House and lot, 100x115, with additional lot of 50 feet adjoining, if required, in the village of Sing Sing, on the Hudson River; premises in good order; gas throughout; good well, cistern, outbuildings, plenty of fruit, beautifully situated and near railroad depot. For further particulars, apply to J. W. HALSTED, at New-York Life Insurance Company, Room No. 1, second story; Nos. 346 and 348 Broadway, from 1 to 3 P. M., during Saturday.

AUCTION SALES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of SIMSON, LELAND & COMPANY, a firm composed of Simson Leland, Charles Leland and Warren Leland, bankrupts.—Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to orders of the United States District Court, made in the matter above entitled, the undersigned will expose for sale at public auction, at the Billiard-room, bar-room and dining-room, on the premises known as the Metropolitan Hotel, Nos. 582 and 584 Broadway, corner of Prince-st., New-York City, on the 17th day of April, 1871, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the property of the said bankrupts in my custody, by virtue of a warrant of seizure after adjudication in bankruptcy duly issued to me in said matter, and dated April 5, 1871. Said property consists of household furniture, mirrors, beds and bedding, chandeliers, for dining-room and other furniture; plate glass, crockery, wines, linen, blankets, carpets, &c., in great variety, heretofore in use at said hotel, and appurtenances. Catalogues of which can be had by application on said premises on the morning of each day's sale.

Said sale will continue from 9 to 6 o'clock each day until concluded; and all goods purchased must be paid for upon the day of sale, and removed before 5 o'clock P. M. of the following day.—Dated New-York, April 12, 1871. GEORGE H. SHARPE, U. S. Marshal. MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

HANDSOME HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AT AUCTION.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction, on FRIDAY, April 14, 1871, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the private residence No. 110 4th-av., near 12th-st., the entire furniture in said house, consisting of rosewood parlor suits, damask, crimson brocatelle, cane chairs and lounges, black-walnut stances, black-walnut parlor suits, vases, centre and side tables, clocks, &c., black-walnut French bedsteads, mattresses, wardrobes, marble-top bureaus, wire-edge shelves, mattresses, palliasses, bolsters, pillows, Brussels and ingrain carpets, oil-cloths, cottage pianos, rose-wood square piano, pier and mantel mirrors. Also, fifty sewing-machines. Also, six casks Muir & Sons ale. EDWARD M. BROWN, Auctioneer.

BY E. H. HINTURN, BROWN & CO.—THIS DAY, (Friday,) April 14, at 11½ o'clock, on Pier No. 12 East River: 1,892 boxes fresh Messina Oranges. 993 boxes fresh Messina Lemons. Cargo *Lucy Frances*, from Messina. Immediately after, on Pier No. 9 East River: 1,848 boxes fresh Palermo Oranges. 2,927 boxes fresh Palermo Lemons. Cargo *Niagara*, from Palermo. Immediately after, within their store: 404 cases fresh Valencia Oranges, landing. The Valencia Oranges may be seen at store No. 92 Pearl-st.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of FRANK, CHARLES FRANK, and LOUIS P. FRANK, bankrupts.—In Bankruptcy.—Notice of Sale.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of the sale at public auction on the 24th day of April, 1871, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, by and through Wintermute, Hoguet & Co., Auctioneers, at No. 455 Broome-st., of the following articles and property of the estate of said bankrupts, that is to say: Two large iron safes, show-cases, stove, desks, gas fixtures, and other fixtures. CHAS. VANNINK, Assignee of the estate of Isador Frank, Chas. Frank, and Louis P. Frank.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the Southern District of New-York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of EDMOND F. RANGER and others, bankrupts.—In pursuance of an order made in said proceeding on the 31st day of April, 1871, the undersigned will sell on the 24th day of April, 1871, at 12 M., at the auction rooms of Burnham & Dennis, No. 113 Pearl-st., sell the personal property of the bankrupts above named, as follows, viz.: 100 cases of goods, known as "Jack Tars." 250 dozen of unfinished hats, &c., &c. For catalogue of property, apply to the auctioneers. GEORGE H. SHARPE, United States Marshal. Dated April 12, 1871. ARCH. JOHNSTON, Auctioneer—Office and Sales-room No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.

JOHNSTON & VAN TASSELL WILL sell at their sales-room, Nos. 37 and 39 Nassau-st., on SATURDAY, at 10 o'clock, a large and fine assortment of plated-ware, bronzes, berry and bread baskets, bronze, clocks, oxydized silver sconces, jewel boxes, card receivers, leather goods.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE—THAT ON the 4th day of April, A. D. 1871, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of THEODORE A. BURCHARD, of the CITY OF NEW-YORK, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, who have been adjudged bankrupts on their own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupts to them or their use and the transfer of any property by them or either of them, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of their estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at No. 522 Broadway, in the City of New-York, before Mr. Henry Wilder Allen, Register, on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1871, at 11 o'clock A. M. GEORGE H. SHARPE, U. S. Marshal, As Messenger, Southern District of New-York.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of ALBERT C. LAMSON and WESLEY STONEY, bankrupts.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of ALBERT C. LAMSON and WESLEY STONEY, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged bankrupts upon the petition of their creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupts to them or their use, and the transfer of any property by them, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of their estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at No. 44 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, in said district, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1871, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of Edgar M. Cullen, Esq., one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court. GEORGE H. SHARPE, Marshal—Messenger.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JOHN H. FRENCH, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of John H. French, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged bankrupt upon the petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of the Register, No. 522 Broadway, City of New-York, before Mr. Henry Wilder Allen, on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1871, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of Isaac Dayton, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court. GEORGE H. SHARPE, Marshal, Messenger.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of R. WARREN MORSE and HENRY M. SMITH, bankrupts.—In bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of R. Warren MoRes and Henry M. Smith, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged bankrupts upon the petition of their creditors and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupts, to them or to their use, and the transfer of any property by them, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of their estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at No. 44 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, in said district, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1871, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of John Fitch, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court. GEORGE H. SHARPE, Marshal—Messenger.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States, for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of THE GAYLORD PATENT COUPLING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Southern District of New-York, ss.: At the City of New-York, the 12th day of April, 1871.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate and effects of the Gaylord Patent Coupling and Manufacturing Company of the City of New-York, in said district; which was on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1871, adjudged a bankrupt upon the petition of its creditors by the District Court of the United States, for the said Southern District of New-York. THOMAS L. CARPENTER, Assignee in Bankruptcy, No. 47 Wall-st., City of New-York. apl4-1aw3w*F

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against GEORGE P. ROGERS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at the office of Jefferson Coddington, No. 17 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 20th day of April next. Dated New-York, the 13th day of October, 1870. WILLIAM L. BRINKERLANDER, WILLIAM E. CHISOLM, JEFFERSON CODDINGTON, Executors. s14-1awfnF

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Mr. ROB LOCKWOOD, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at the store of George R. Lockwood, No. 812 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 1st day of July next. Dated New-York, the 1st day of December, 1870. GEORGE R. LOCKWOOD, WILLIAM FEET, Executors, &c. d2-1awfnF

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WILLIAM CHAUNCEY, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his office, No. 10 Old-slip, in the City of New-York, on or before the 18th day of July next.—Dated New-York, the 18th day of December, 1870. GEORGE W. STANTON, JR., Executor. d20-1awfnF

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THE KUKLUX BILL IN THE SENATE.

Mr. Sumner Insists the Displeasure of the Democrats—They Can't See the Difference between San Domingo and South Carolina—The Census Report—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The chief feature in Congress today was the vote of the House, which, by 69 to 26, after a long debate, concurred in the Senate amendment repealing the law which provides for the meeting of the first session of each Congress on the 4th of March. When the roll-call was completed, the announcement was declared by one to be a jury, but ANDREW KING, a Missouri Democrat, having been discovered in voting late, was initiated by his Democratic associates to change to yea. The Speaker hesitated some seconds before announcing the vote, and then explained that it was because he was doubting whether he should vote in the negative, and then make a tie, but he concluded it would be improper for him to do so. Privately, he expressed great regret at the passage of the amendment. It is understood, however, that no effort will be made to reverse or recommit.

FIRST VOLUME OF THE CENSUS REPORT.

A resolution to print twenty-five thousand copies of the first volume of the census report, and ten thousand copies of the second volume, was passed in the Senate today. Some discussion arose in regard to the publication of a preliminary report, and Mr. ANTHONY from the Printing Committee, explained that the Census Office contemplated the publication after all the other volumes have been completed, of a compendium to contain the statistics of general interest. This compendium would take the place of the preliminary report which was published at the last census, and being in all respects correct, it would be valuable for wide distribution throughout the country. Mr. TRUMBULL seemed inclined to avoid a little because some official communication of the results of the census had not been sent to Congress, but at the same time owned he had given no attention to the subject. He proposed a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Interior for a statement of the population of the States and territories, which was passed. Mr. TRUMBULL will find when he examines the subject that the entire returns of the present census will be printed, and the carefully collated compendium made ready for the printer, in a shorter time than it required in the last census for the preparation of the first comparatively superior preliminary report. The delay has been occasioned by circumstances which the census officer under existing law could not control, and is not responsible for, else these returns at least of the returns would have been already published.

THE SOUTHERN INVESTIGATION.

Mr. WILSON, at his own request, was excused from serving on the Committee to investigate the conditions of affairs in the Southern States. It is also understood that Mr. CHANDLER will not serve. Their successors have not been appointed.

TAXATION AND THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. CHERRY, who happened not to be in his seat when the resolution to authorize the Senate Finance Committee to examine the subject of taxation the Commerce was passed, yesterday, today entered a motion to reconsider. He thinks the resolution will be more perfect if some amendments of his can be made. But it is unlikely he will be able to stamp his ideas on it after all. Since the Senate is slow to recognize his great ability.

THE SENATE DEBATE ON SOUTHERN OUTRAGES.

The discussion in the Senate of the bill for the suppression of outrages in the Southern States began today at 11½ o'clock, with Judge THURMAN on the floor. He spoke about two hours, making a good old-fashioned Democratic argument against the constitutionality of the bill. Mr. SUMNER followed, and read a long speech in favor of the bill. GARRETT DAVIS then made a short speech—for him—of about two hours, which he no doubt considered keeping in good faith his promises of a few days ago, not to occupy much time on the measure. After DAVIS, Mr. SUMNER made a short speech. An agreement was made to vote on the bill to-morrow at 4 o'clock. A recess was taken till 7½ o'clock, in order that the evening might be devoted to a continuation of the debate. The agreement by which the end of the Kuklux discussion in the Senate is to be had to-morrow, is that the session shall begin to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, and that after two hours' debate the question will be taken on the pending amendments to the bill and amendments. This will surely occur at an early hour of the afternoon, and the bill will go back to the House on Saturday morning. Mr. SUMNER's speech today showed that he was speaking under embarrassing circumstances. It was a kind of general homily on the duty of the Government to protect its citizens. He left it in doubt whether he intended to vote for the bill or not; but when Mr. THURMAN put the question to him he acknowledged that he would vote for it. Mr. THURMAN then, considering the amount of flattery he has recently administered to the Senator from Massachusetts, gave him a most pointed cut. He told that Mr. SUMNER had recently, and as he thought, justly, arraigned the President for making war on the black citizens of Hayti, but now he was ready to authorize the President to make war on the white citizens of the United States at the South. Mr. SUMNER did not reply. There is some curiosity to know whether the bill will be passed mainly for the reason that Mr. SUMNER made this speech, and whether the colored citizens of Washington will give him a serenade, as has been widely circulated by telegraph, for this great effort in behalf of their friends South. It would seem exceedingly absurd to claim that the passage of the bill owed much to the Senator.

THE EVENING DEBATE.

The debate on the Senate after the recess was participated in by Senators CONKLING, WRIGHT, BLAIR, STUART and WILSON. Mr. BLAIR tried to execute a flank movement against the bill by having a long account read of the late action of a Vigilance Committee at Virginia City, in Nevada, and admonishing the two Senators from that State to look at home. He tried to break down the replies to this statement by his old game of impudent and overbearing interruption, but NYE proved too sharp for him, and he gave up. Mr. WILSON said he had prepared a speech, but was advised by his friends not to make it. He, however, disregarded that advice partially, and made what he termed a brief statement. He is in favor of the bill, and in harmony with his action in the past. The debate has been more interesting this evening than heretofore. The Senate is very thin, and the galleries unusually so, for a night session. The Senate will probably adjourn early.

Abstract to the Associated Press.

THE NEW LOAN.

The National Bank of New-York has subscribed for $1,100,000 of the new loan. The total of subscriptions thus far amount to $53,100,000. The Secretary of the Treasury is encouraged by the success of the continuance of large subscriptions, especially when the bonds are ready to be delivered, which will be about the 1st of May, the subscriptions being thus far in anticipation of the bonds.

NOMINATIONS.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate today:

Members of the Legislative Assembly of the District of Columbia, for one year.—D. L. Eaton, J. A. Gray, R. R. Brown, O. P. Gulick, and Samuel Cross; and the following for the term of two years: Hendrick Shelton, Adolphus Hall, G. [illegible], W. B. Webb, William [illegible] and [illegible].

Collectors of Internal Revenue.—[illegible] Fifth District of Texas, [illegible] Fifth District of Georgia; [illegible] District of Maine.

Consuls of [illegible]—[illegible] Laws, N. Y.; W. W. Kirby, to Guayaquil; [illegible] Horne, to Sonora; [illegible] Gibson, to Guaymas; [illegible] Charlotte, N. C., to Matamoras; [illegible] Washington, Iowa; [illegible] Iowa; [illegible] Iowa; [illegible]